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TOWN of NEWBURG

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TOWN OFFICERS FOR THE YEAR 1911

Town Clerk

J. J. Staples

Selectmen, Assessors and Overseers of Poor

C. L. Chapman J. E. Miller F. A. Tribou

Town Agent

C. L. Chapman

Treasurer

Henry J. Luce

Tax Collector

Arthur L. Tolman

Auditor

John J. Dearborn

Constable

Arthur L. Tolman

School Committee

Arthur L. Tolman	- - - -	Term expires 1912
Frank H. Shaw	- - - -	Term expires 1913
Geo. W. Whitcomb	- - - -	Term expires 1914

Superintendent of Schools

C. L. Chapman

Road Commissioner

E. L. Newcomb

Warrant

STATE OF MAINE PENOBSCOT SS.

To ARTHUR L. TOLMAN, a constable of the town of Newburg in said county, GREETING:

In the name of the State of Maine, you are hereby required to notify and warn the inhabitants of said town of Newburg, qualified by law to vote in town affairs, to assemble at the Town House, in said town of Newburg, on Monday, the fourth day of March, 1912, at 9.30 o'clock in the forenoon, to act on the following articles, to wit:

Art. 1. To choose a Moderator to preside at said meeting.

Art. 2. To choose a Clerk for the ensuing year.

Art. 3. To see if the town will vote to accept the reports of the Selectmen, Assessors and Overseers of the Poor, Superintendent of Schools, Treasurer and Town Auditor.

Art. 4. To choose three or more Selectmen, Assessors and Overseers of the Poor for the ensuing year.

Art. 5. To choose one or more Road Commissioners for the ensuing year.

Art. 6. To choose one member of the School Committee for three years.

Art. 7. To choose a Treasurer of the town and all other necessary town officers for the ensuing year, except a Collector of Taxes.

Art. 8. To determine what sums of money the town will vote to raise by taxation for the following purposes:

For the support of common schools.
For the support of the poor.
For incidental expenses.
For roads and bridges.
For repairs on school houses.
For school books.
For free high school.
For abatements.

Art. 9. To choose a collector of taxes.

Art. 10. To see if the town will vote " yes " or " no " upon the adoption of the provisions of chapter 112 of the Public Laws of Maine, for the year 1907, as amended by chapter 69, Public Laws of 1909, also chapter 21, Public Laws of 1911, and chapter 183, Public Laws of 1911, relating to the appropriation of money necessary to entitle the town to State aid for highways for the year 1912.

Art. 11. To see if the town will raise and appropriate in addition to the amounts regularly raised and appropriated for the care of ways, highways and bridges, the sum of $400.00 being the maximum amount which the town is allowed to raise under the provisions of chapter 112 of the Public Laws of Maine for the year 1907, as amended by chapter 69, Public Laws of 1909, also chapter 21, Public Laws of 1911, and chapter 183, Public Laws of 1911.

Art. 12. To see if the town will vote to raise $200.00 to be expended for a continuation of the permanent highway on the South road.

Art. 13. To transact any other business that may legally come before said meeting.

Given under our hands at Newburg, Maine, this 24th day of February, 1912.

C. L. CHAPMAN,
J. E. MILLER,
F. A. TRIBOU,
} Selectmen of Newburg

Assessors' Report

INVENTORY OF POLLS AND ESTATES

Real estate, resident,	$182,240 00	
Real estate, non-resident,	7,485 00	
Personal estate, resident,	52,313 00	
Grand total valuation,		$242,038 00
Number of polls taxed, 203		
Number of polls not taxed, 20		
Tax rate, $.02		
Tax on $242,038.00 at $.02	$4,840 76	
Tax on 209 polls, at $3.00	627 00	
		$5,467 76
State tax,	$1,697 08	
County tax,	288 16	
Support of common schools,	500 00	700.00
Support of poor,	300 00	250.00
Roads and bridges,	1,200 00	1200.00
State Road,	400 00	400.00
Incidental expenses,	400 00	400.00
Text books,	50 00	50.00
Repairs on school houses,	100 00	100.00
Repairs and painting cometery fences,	~~200 00~~	$200.
Permanent road on South road,	200 00	
M. S. Porter, damages,	~~25 00~~	
Abatements,	30 00	50.00
Overlay,	77 52	$150.00
Total commitment to collector,		$5,467 76

Bridge. $50.00

5150.10

400.00

$5550.10

Report of Selectmen

FOR THE YEAR ENDING FEBRUARY 19, 1912

Cash in treasury Feb. 19, 1911	$ 68 36	
Rec'd from A. L. Tolman, col. bal. 1910 tax,	1343 71	
A. L. Tolman, col. 1911 tax	4372 54	
State, free high school	300 00	
State, secondary tuition	20 00	
State, dog tax refunded	54 97	
town clerk, dog licenses	72 00	
bank loan	300 00	
State, R. R. and tel. tax	168 59	
State, pauper account	231 09	
State, State pensions	216 00	
State, common school fund	489 60	
State, school and mill fund	620 48	
State, school equalization fund	65 85	
State, State road	380 62	
J. E. Miller, town farm	50 00	
Total amount received		$8753 81

PAID OUT DURING YEAR BY ORDERS

Highways and bridges	$1775 71
State road	780 62
Pauper account	245 00
State pauper account	227 58
State tax	1697 08
County tax	288 16
Incidentals	803 76
Dog licenses	72 00
Abatements	32 02
State pensions	144 00
Milton Porter, damages	25 00

Merchants Nat'l Bank, note and interest	310 54	
Free high school	450 00	
Teachers' salaries	1236 00	
Transportation	540 00	
Fuel	85 00	
Repair of school houses	44 74	
Text books	51 32	
Janitor service	8 50	
Painting and repairing cemetery fences	170 55	
		$8987 58

Total amount of orders drawn, 1911	$8987 58
outstanding orders, 1911	755 36
Amount of 1911 orders cashed by treas.	$8232 22
Amount of 1910 " "	316 79
Total amount of orders cashed by treas.	$8549 01

ASSETS

Cash in treasury	$ 204 80	
Due from collector 1911 taxes	1095 22	
State, State pauper account	69 66	
State, free high school	200 00	
		$1569 68

LIABILITIES

Outstanding orders, 1911	$755 36	
" 1910	21 05	
Salaries, C. L. Chapman, selectman	60 00	
J. E. Miller, "	50 00	
F. A. Tribou, "	50 00	
Henry J. Luce, treas.	27 60	
J. J. Staples, clerk	20 00	
A. L. Tolman, coll. and constable fees,	119 72	
Estimated amount outstanding bills	150 00	
		1253 73
Net assets		$315 95

School Report

COMMON SCHOOLS

Amount raised by vote of town	$ 500 00	
Received from State	1,175 93	
Unexpended balance, 1910	83 60	
		$1,759 53
Paid teachers	$1,236 00	
fuel	85 00	
transportation	540 00	
janitor service	8 50	
		$1,869 50
Overdrawn		109 97

FREE HIGH SCHOOL

Unexpended balance from 1910	$ 95 00	
Received from State	300 00	
		$395 00
Paid teachers' salary	$450 00	

SCHOOL HOUSE REPAIRS

Amount raised by town	$100 00	
overdrawn, 1910	18 19	
available, 1911	81 81	
Paid by orders, 1911	44 74	
Unexpended balance	$37 07	

TEXT BOOKS

Amount raised by town	$50 00	
Overdrawn, 1910	12 45	
Amount available, 1911	$37 55	
Paid by orders	51 32	
Overdrawn		$13 77

ROADS AND BRIDGES

STATE ROAD

Amount raised by town,	$400 00	1912 819.
Rec'd from state,	380 62	
		$780 62
Paid by orders,		780 62

HIGHWAY ACCOUNT

Amount raised for highways,	$1200 00	
" " " South road,	200 00	
Unexpended balance 1910,	296 97	
Gravel for North road,	100 00	
		$1,796 97
Paid by orders,		1,775 71
Unexpended balance,		$21 26

PAUPER ACCOUNT

Amount raised by town,		$300 00
Paid Elmer E. Grant for Wiley and Holmes,	$245 00	
Due Elmer E. Grant,	5 00	250 00
Unexpended balance,		$50 00

STATE PAUPER ACCOUNT.

Paid C. A. Staples, for Rose Twitchell, 1911,	$227 58	
Received from State for Rose Twitchell, 1911,	157 92	
Amount due from State,		$69 66

SPECIAL APPROPRIATION

Damages for Milton Porter

Amount raised by town,	$25 00
Paid Milton Porter,	25 00

INCIDENTAL ACCOUNTS

Amount raised by town,	$400 00	
Overlay,	77 52	
Rec'd from State, R. R. and Tel. tax,	168 59	
State, dog tax refunded,	54 97	
J. E. Miller, town farm,	50 00	
		$751 08

Paid by Orders

A. L. Tolman, collector of taxes for 1909,	$101 60
A. L. Tolman, constable fees,	6 00
J. J. Staples, town clerk, salary,	20 00
C. L. Chapman, selectman, salary,	60 00
J. E. Miller, " "	50 00
F. A. Tribou, " "	50 00
C. L. Chapman, supt. of schools, salary,	60 00
Henry J. Luce, treasurer, "	25 00
F. A. Howes, public watering place,	1 50
Guy Kimball, keeping tramps,	1 00
Walter Rogers, keeping tramps,	1 00
C. L. Chapman, commitment Emma Philbrick,	6 00
Bangor Children's Home, Maurice Whitcomb,	38 05
E. Whitcomb, care of town house,	2 00
Henry J. Luce, grave markers,	3 00
Alfred Hart, public watering place, 1909-1910,	3 00
Mrs. E. L. Brackett, Girl's Home, Belfast, Me., for life care of Millie Whitcomb,	100 00
Wm. Bartlett, sheep killed by dogs,	12 00
McGregor & Bartlett, supplies furnished Percy Bartlett,	17 56
Bartlett Bros., supplies furnished Percy Bartlett,	5 65
C. L. Chapman, care Chapman cemetery,	5 00
T. W. Burr & Co., town reports 1910,	23 50
Fred Johnston, care and labor Rigby cemetery,	8 00
Walter E. Luce, moderator, 1911,	2 00
C. L. Chapman, superintendent of schools, 1911,	60 00

W. H. Dillingham, services Board of Health,	5 00	
H. F. Leavitt, care of Knowlton cemetery,	5 00	
H. F. Leavitt, grave for Harvey Whitcomb,	3 00	
Mrs. F. A. Tribou, keeping tramps,	7 50	
Clarence Young, repairs on town house,	1 00	
C. L. Chapman, stationery, stamps, incidentals for town,	20 35	
E. F. Dillingham, order books, etc.,	9 85	
O. A. Menges, M. D., medical services and fumigation at Percy Bartlett's,	25 00	
N. Whitman & Son, flags for cemeteries,	4 00	
Chas. F. Shepley, iron vase for Hussey lot,	4 50	
Bangor Children's Home, expense Maurice Whitcomb,	32 70	
M. J. Sewell, driving hearse nine times,	22 50	
J. F. Davis, public watering place,	1 50	
		$803 76
Overdrawn,		$52 68

Respectfully submitted,

C. L. CHAPMAN,
J. E. MILLER,
F. A. TRIBOU,
} Selectmen of Newburg

Audited and approved Feb. 24th, 1912.

For the year 1911,

J. J. Dearborn,
Auditor.

HIGHWAY ACCOUNT

Paid by Orders

Anthony, Joseph	$17 25
Arnold, Millard	2 25
Babcock, Geo.	6 39
Bartlett, Manter	16 90
Bartlett, Wm.	21 00
Benson, Fred	19 50
Bickford, Geo.	90
Bickford, U. G.	13 20
Bowen, J. W.	3 30
Boyington, P. J.	21 62
Bridgham, Harry	12 80
Bridgham, Merton	10 35
Chamberlain, W. J.	1 80
Chadbourne, Roy	1 73
Chapman, C. L.	27 80
Chapman, D. A.	4 50
Cilley, Fred	25 65
Croxford, Isaiah	19 87
Croxford, L. D.	8 40
Conant Co., C. M.	8 75
Cookson, A. A.	21 47
Curtis, E. I.	11 75
Davis, J. Frank	15 09
Davis, W. O.	9 05
Dillingham, W. H.	21 94
Ellingwood, Fred	56 36
Estey, Wm.	3 45
Fairbrother, R. H.	11 20
Foster, Maurice	12 55
Gatchell, Ed.	18 37
Getchell, Geo.	11 20
Garland, J. J.	12 75
Grant, E. E.	1 07

Grant, Fremont	3 52
Grant, Louis	14 48
Hart, Alfred	3 74
Henderson, Will	6 00
Hiltz, E. J.	2 85
Hollis, W. H.	19 25
Howes, B.	4 50
" F. A.	3 20
" Vivien	3 00
Inman, Amos	2 25
Johnston, Fred	22 65
Kenney, G. O.	6 07
Kimball, Guy	8 12
King, Frank	3 00
Knight, Walter	4 50
Knowlton, A. W.	18 23
Lake, Bernard	8 25
" C. W.	11 25
Leavitt, Fred	11 25
" M. S.	2 10
" Henry	19 12
Leonard, Chris	8 55
Leonard, Leon	3 90
Leonard, Henry	36 18
Lawrence, E.	45
Luce, A. J.	11 50
" H. J.	6 50
" John	45
Loring, Louis	3 75
Mills, E. D.	8 25
Miller, J. E.	6 40
Mitchell, Walter E.	19 95
Maddocks, H. H.	36 30
Morse & Co.	21 56
Morrill, A. M.	2 50
Nealley, Scott	34 15

Nealley, Martin	10 80
" Howard	11 08
Norton, Benj.	7 20
Newcomb, E. L.	218 37
" Geo.	1 52
" M. T.	40 85
" Mrs. Wilmot	6 00
Otis, F. W.	7 10
" J. P.	5 25
Parsons, Allie	4 05
" Irvin	19 65
" L. D.	75
" Roland	12 25
" Maurice	15 85
Porter, L. F.	14 55
" Milton	25 37
Prescott, Clarence	75
" Franklin	2 00
" Montford	8 25
" Ralph	7 95
Rich, George	12 50
Roberts, C. F.	10 57
Rogers, Arthur	10 50
Ryder, Ira	48 90
" Wm.	26 75
Seabury, E. L.	90
Severance, M. B.	5 25
" P. E.	1 00
Sewell, M. J.	13 78
Smith, Arthur	8 40
" C. H.	8 40
" L. O.	1 20
" G. W.	1 65
" W. P.	14 00
" H. H. D.	6 32

Staples, L. H.	7 50	
Stevenson, Harry	6 00	
" Warren	13 72	
Smith, E. H.	6 75	
" Bert	2 70	
Tolman, A. L.	17 35	
" J. B.	7 20	
Toothaker, Chas.	6 00	
" Fred	23 15	
" Wm.	75	
Tribou, F. A.	39 07	
" Geo. L.	160 70	
Trundy, Henry	8 70	
Whitcomb, A. W.	15 30	
" Geo. W.	2 70	
" H. R.	5 32	
" C. H.	20 03	
" Elbridge	6 43	
Young, Clarence	3 90	
York, Walter	1 50	
Wentworth, E. L.	3 30	
		$1775 71

STATE ROAD

Anthony, Joseph	$ 28 76	
Bartlett, Manley	25 75	
Bartlett, Wm.	4 50	
Bridgham, Harry	15 15	
Bridgham, Merton	5 55	
Cilley, Fred	27 15	
Dunning, R. B. & Co., cement	8 00	
Fall, O. H.	32 02	
Foster, Maurice	36 37	
Foster, A. D.	22 00	
Garrows, Henry	4 35	
Getchell, Geo.	3 00	
Maddocks, H. H.	9 37	
Mills, E. D.	28 35	
Morse & Co.	23 36	
Newcomb, E. L.	105 00	
Newcomb, M. T.	55 67	
Porter, Lafayette	10 35	
Porter, Milton	25 75	
Porter, N. T.	27 85	
Ryder, Ira	5 55	
Sidelinker, Raymond	4 00	
Smith, G. W.	7 35	
Tribou, F. A.	73 37	
Tribou, F. A., freight on culvert	1 40	
Tribou, Geo. L.	95 07	
Parsons, Maurice	21 15	
Roberts, C. F.	25 94	
Whitcomb, C. H.	11 85	
Young, Clarence	6 40	
Northeast Metal Culvert Co.	25 24	
Newcomb, E. L. (cement)	5 00	
		$780 62

Treasurer's Report

Henry J. Luce, Treasurer, in account with the Town of Newburg
From Feb. 18, 1911, to Feb. 24, 1912

Received from all Sources During the Year

1911		Balance in treasury at last settlement	$ 68 36
April	7	John E. Miller for town farm	50 00
	17	State treasurer, dog licenses refunded	54 97
May	31	Merchants Nat'l Bank, money hired	300 00
July	6	State treas., free high school account	20 00
	7	" State pensions, 1910	72 00
	8	" support of paupers	73 17
	31	Town clerk, dog licenses, 1911	28 00
Oct.	31	" " 1911	35 00
Dec.	18	State treasurer, executive dept.	47 28
	22	" State road	380 62
1912			
Jan.	6	R. R. and telegraph tax	168 59
	6	School and mill fund	620 48
	6	Common school fund	489 60
	6	School equalization fund	65 85
Feb.	20	State pensions	144 00
	20	Free high school, 1910	300 00
	20	State treasurer, support of paupers	110 64
	20	A. L. Tolman, dog licenses 1911	9 00
	20	" " balance 1910 taxes	1343 71
	20	" " on tax of 1911	4372 54
			$8753 81
Paid town orders of selectmen			8549 01
Balance in the treasury			$204 80

Respectfully submitted.

HENRY J. LUCE,
Treasurer.

Audited and approved,
J. J. DEARBORN.

Superintendent of Schools' Report

To the Town of Newburg:

Gentlemen: I beg to hand you herewith my report for the past year.

COMMON SCHOOL FUND

Rec'd from the State,	$1175 93	
Raised by the town,	500 00	
Unexpended balance 1910,	83 60	
Amount available for 1911,		$1759 53

TEACHERS' SALARIES

Spring Term

Effie L. Perkins,	8 weeks,	$ 60 00	
Lucy Leeman,	8 "	56 00	
Merton Bridgham,	8 "	56 00	
Lula Whitcomb,	8 "	72 00	
Nellie O'Neil,	8 "	56 00	
Harry Harding,	8 "	64 00	
			$364 00

Fall Term

Effie Perkins,	10 weeks,	$ 80 00	
Gladys Lowell,	10 "	80 00	
Audrey McLaughlin,	10 "	90 00	
Lula Whitcomb,	10 "	80 00	
Lucy Leeman,	10 "	70 00	
Merton Bridgham,	10 "	80 00	
			$480 00

Winter Term

Effie Perkins,	8 weeks,	$ 64 00	
Gladys Lowell,	8 "	64 00	
Audrey McLaughlin,	8 "	64 00	
Linda Hopkins,	8 "	64 00	
Lucy Leeman,	8 "	64 00	
Merton Bridgham,	8 "	72 00	
			392 00
Total amount paid to teachers,			$1236 00

TRANSPORTATION

Clarance Young,	26 weeks,	$152 00	
A. L. Tolman,	26 "	104 00	
Chas. Mann,	26 "	52 00	
Eliza Clements,	18 "	72 00	
Fred Clements,	8 "	24 00	
Benj. Norton,	26 "	112 00	
Benj. Norton,	8 " (1910)	24 00	
			$540 00

FUEL

Geo. Tribou,	$36 00	
Guy Kimball,	25 00	
Wm. Hollis,	10 00	
P. E. Severance,	9 00	
J. J. Dearborn,	3 00	
A. L. Tolman,	2 00	
		$85 00

JANITOR SERVICE

Chapman school,	$ 4 50	
Ward school, (1910)	2 00	
Center school,	2 00	
		$8 50

STATEMENT

Amount paid to teachers,	$ 1,236 00	
for transportation,	540 00	
fuel,	85 00	
for janitor service,	8 50	
Total amount paid out,	$1,869 50	
Amount available,	1,759 53	
Overdrawn,		$109 97

SCHOOL HOUSE REPAIRS

Amount raised by town,	$100 00	
Overdrawn in 1910,	18 19	
Amount available for 1911,		$81 81

Paid Out

Myrtle Anthony, cleaning,	$ 6 00	
Geo. L. Tribou, repairs,	1 00	
Geo. Newcomb, paint, etc., Knowlton school,	12 75	
Harry Stevenson, painting, " "	5 00	
E. J. Hiltz, painting " "	11 13	
McGregor & Bartlett, sundries,	6 86	
Geo. L. Newcomb, sundries,	2 00	
		44 74
Unexpended balance,		$37 07

TEXT BOOKS

Amount raised by town,	$ 50 00	
Overdrawn in 1910,	12 45	
Amount available for 1911,		$37 55

PAID OUT

Ginn & Co.,	$18 72	
D. C. Heath & Co.,	6 00	
Jas. R. Dwelley,	15 00	
The Scarborough Co.,	1 95	
Edw. E. Babb & Co.,	3 25	
Express, cartage, etc.,	6 40	
		51 32
Overdrawn,		$13 77

FREE HIGH SCHOOL

Amount raised by town 1909,	$250 00	
" received from State 1909,	55 00	
" " " 1911,	300 00	
" due " " 1911,	200 00	
		$805 00
Paid Roscoe Smith, 10 weeks, 1909,	$110 00	
James R. Dwelley, 30 " from July 1, 1910, to June 30, 1911,	450 00	
James R. Dwelley, 20 weeks, 1911,	300 00	
		$860 00

Respectfully submitted,

C. L. CHAPMAN,
Supt. of Schools.

SCHOOL COMMITTEE

A. L. TOLMAN F. H. SHAW
GEO. W. WHITCOMB

Henry J. Luce - Town Agent.
First Selectmen

NINETY-SECOND ANNUAL REPORT

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School Committee

Frank H. Shaw,	Term expires 1913
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Melvin J. Severance,	Term expires 1915

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Lillian Hamm

Road Commissioners

E. L. Newcomb H. M. Leonard W. O. Davis

Warrant

STATE OF MAINE PENOBSCOT SS.

To ALFRED M. HART, a constable of the town of Newburg in said county, GREETING:

In the name of the State of Maine, you are hereby required to notify and warn the inhabitants of said town of Newburg, qualified by law to vote in town affairs, to assemble at the Town House in said town of Newburg, on Monday, the third day of March, 1913, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, to act on the following articles, to wit:

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Art. 7 To choose a Road Commissioner for the South Road.

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Art. 10 To choose a Collector of Taxes, and vote what percent to pay him for collecting the same.

Art. 11 To choose a Town Auditor and all other necessary Town Officers for the ensuing year.

Art. 12 To raise money for the support of common schools.

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Art. 23 To see if the town will vote to raise $200.00 to be expended for permanent highway on South Road by C. A. Newcomb's.

Art. 24 To see if the town will vote to raise $200.00 to be expended for permanent improvements on Boyington Road.

Art. 25 To see if the town will vote to authorize selectmen to make a temporary loan in anticipation of taxes for 1913.

Given under our hands at Newburg, Maine, this 20th day of February, 1913.

HENRY J. LUCE,
J. E. MILLER,
F. A. TRIBOU,
} Selectmen of Newburg.

Report of Assessors

INVENTORY OF ALL ESTATES

Real estate, resident	$175,610 00	
Real estate, non-resident	12,335 00	
Personal estate, resident	56,824 00	
Personal estate, non-resident	425 00	
Grand total valuation		$245,194 00

Number of polls taxed, 206.
Number of poll not taxed, 23.
Tax rate .019.

Tax on $245,194 at .019	$4,658 69	
Tax on 206 polls at $3.00	618 00	
		$5,276 69

State tax	$ 1,132 06	
County tax	293 81	
Support of common schools	700 00	
Support of poor	250 00	
Roads and bridges	1,200 00	
State road	400 00	
Incidental expenses	400 00	
Text books	50 00	
Apparatus for high school	50 00	
Repairs on school houses	100 00	
Free high school	150 00	
Abatements	50 00	
Continuation of permanent road on South road	200 00	
Building bridge near Franklin Prescott's	50 00	
Overlay	250 82	
Total		$5,276 69
Supplementary tax		7 90
Total commitment to collector		$5,284 59

Report of Selectmen

Cash in treasury Feb. 18, 1912	$ 204 80	
Received from A. L. Tolman, col. bal 1911 tax	1,095 22	
Received from Alfred M. Hart, col. 1912 tax	4,963 68	
State, free high school	300 00	
State, dog tax refunded	62 48	
Town clerk, dog licenses	59 00	
Bank loan	500 57	
State R. R. and telegraph tax	197 47	
pauper account	146 25	
pension	60 00	
road refund	412 54	
common school fund	483 71	
school mill fund	602 42	
burial for soldier's widow	35 00	
Total amount received		$9,123 14

PAID OUT DURING YEAR BY ORDERS

Highways and bridges	$1,628 85
State road	812 54
Pauper account	227 36
State pauper account	76 59
State tax	1,132 06
County tax	293 81
Incidentals	847 81
Dog licenses	67 00
Abatements	44 66
State pensions	84 00
State burial	35 00
Merchant's Nat'l Bank, note and interest	507 50
Free high school	450 00
Teachers' salaries	1,279 15

Transportation	417 60	
Fuel	78 00	
Repair of school houses	24 31	
Text books	57 29	
Janitor service	16 00	
		$8,079 53
Total amount of orders drawn	$8,079 53	
Outstanding orders of 1912	45 01	
Amount of 1912 orders cashed by treasury	$8,034 52	
Amount of 1911 orders cashed by treasury	753 71	
Amount of 1910 orders cashed by treasury	21 05	
Total amount of orders cashed by treasury		$8,809 28

ASSETS

Cash in treasury	$ 313 86	
Due from collector, 1912 taxes	320 91	
State, State pensions	24 00	
Due from town clerk, dog licenses	9 00	
Due interest on Hussey fund	21 00	
State, free high school	200 00	
		$888 77

LIABILITIES

Outstanding orders, 1912	$ 45 01	
" 1911	1 65	
Salaries, Henry J. Luce	60 00	
J. E. Miller	50 00	
F. A. Tribou	50 00	
J. J. Dearborn, treas.	25 00	
J. J. Staples, clerk	20 00	
Mrs. Lillian Hamm, supt.	60 00	
Alfred M. Hart, collector	105 69	
Estimated amount of interest	100 00	
Standing bills		517 35
Net assets		$371 42

SCHOOL REPORT

Amount raised by vote of town	$ 700 00	
Received from State	1,086 13	
		$1,786 13
Overdrawn 1911		109 97
Available 1912		$1,676 16
Paid teachers	$1,279 15	
transportation	417 60	
fuel	68 00	
janitor	2 50	
		1,767 25
Overdrawn		$91 09

FREE HIGH SCHOOL

Amount raised by town from 1909	$400 00	
to present time	655 00	
due from State, 1912	200 00	
Total resources to date		$1,255 00

Expenditures

Total teachers' salaries	$1,310 00	
fuel	10 00	
janitor	13 50	
Total expended to date		1,333 50
Overdrawn		$ 78 50

SCHOOL HOUSE REPAIRS

Amount raised by town	$100 00	
Paid by orders	24 31	
Unexpended		$75 69

TEXT BOOKS

Amount raised by town	$ 50 00	
Amount raised for apparatus	50 00	
		$100 00
Overdrawn 1912	$13 77	
Available		$86 23
Paid by orders		57 29
Unexpended		$28 94

ROADS AND BRIDGES

State Road

Amount raised by town	$400 00	
Received from State	412 54	
Paid by orders		$812 54

HIGHWAY ACCOUNT

Amount raised for highways	$1,200 00	
Amount raised for South Road	200 00	
		$1,400 00
Paid by orders		1,628 85
Overdrawn		$ 228 85

PAUPER ACCOUNT

Amount raised by town		$250 00
Paid Elmer E. Grant for Wiley and Holmes	$198 36	
Dr. E. C. Newcomb	2 00	
Ernest Seabury, transportation	8 00	
E. L. Lamb for burial of Harvey Whitcomb	19 00	
		227 36
Unexpended balance		$22 64

STATE PAUPER ACCOUNT

Paid C. A. Staples for Rose Twitchell, 1912,	$ 66 32	
Henry J. Luce, furniture for Rose Twitchell	6 75	
F. A. Tribou for Rose Twitchell	3 52	
Received from State for Rose Twitchell		$76 59

INCIDENTAL ACCOUNTS

Amount raised by town	$400 00	
Overlay	252 82	
Received from State, R. R. and Tel. Tax	197 47	
State dog tax refunded	62 48	
		$912 77

Paid by Orders

C. L. Chapman, selectman, salary	$ 60 00
J. E. Miller, " "	50 00
F. A. Tribou, " "	50 00
Henry J. Luce, treasurer, "	25 00
Henry J. Luce, postage and stationery as treasurer	2 60
Elbridge Whitcomb, janitor at Town House	2 00
A. L. Tolman, collecting taxes 1910 and fees	119 72
J. J. Staples, town clerk, salary	20 00
Charles Fisher, hunting moths 1912	20 00
Henry J. Luce, ballot booths	17 83
Thomas W. Burr Ptg. Co., town reports 1912,	24 75
Frank Davis, public watering place	1 50
Fred A. Rogers, hunting moths	6 00
Fred A. Rogers, ballot clerk	6 00
Maurice Parsons, ballot clerk 1910-11-12 and stove pipe	10 10
Walter E. Luce, services as moderator	2 00
S. M. Packard, ballot clerk 1910-11	4 00
A. W. Whitcomb, services as justice	2 00
William Goodrich, one sheep killed by dog	4 00

William Bartlett, care cemetery and Hussey lot,	8 50	
Arthur J. Luce, public watering place.....	1 50	
Dr. C. F. Cowan, medical services to Emma Philbrick and record of births....	6 00	
Bangor Childrens' Home, board of Maurice Whitcomb	47 60	
Henry J. Luce, stationery and postage.....	3 00	
N. Whitman & Son for flags	2 25	
E. F. Dillingham, books and blanks for town..	9 50	
Charles Mudgett, public watering place	1 50	
Loring, Short & Harmon, books for town....	2 50	
J. J. Dearborn, services as auditor two years..	4 00	
Town of Webster, small pox cases of Orissa King French and family.....	112 00	
F. A. Tribou, keeping three tramps....	4 50	
Fred M. Johnson, care of cemetery.....	3 00	
F. O. Rogers, care of cemetery two years.....	10 00	
Dr. E. C. Newcomb, medical attendance to Emma Philbrick.....	3 00	
Dr. E. C. Newcomb, registering of births and deaths from 1893 to the present time.....	46 50	
Melvin Sewall, driving hearse.....	33 00	
Alfred M. Hart, public watering place.....	1 50	
Arthur Tolman, collecting taxes 1911 and fees,	110 85	
Alfred M. Hart, constable fees.	6 00	
	———	847 81
Balance		$64 96

Respectfully submitted,

HENRY J. LUCE,
J. E. MILLER,
F. A. TRIBOU,
} Selectmen of Newburg.

HIGHWAY ACCOUNT

Paid by Orders

E. L. Newcomb, commissioner	$51 17
Arnold, Allen	90
Anthony, Joseph	3 15
Avery, Fred	7 05
Bowen, J. W.	1 50
Bridgham, Harry	4 05
Bickford, Geo.	45
Bartlett, Charles	10 50
Croxford, Isaiah	2 95
Curtis, E. J.	4 65
Croxford, L. D.	2 78
Clements, F. R.	60
Cilley, Fred	11 40
Dillingham, W. H.	10 50
Dearborn, J. J.	2 00
Ellingwood, Fred	6 10
Foster, Maurice	7 50
Fifield, Thomas	3 84
Garrows, Henry	6 22
Grant, Elmer E.	10 94
Hollis, W. H.	13 85
Howes, F. A.	9 60
Howes, V. F.	5 25
Hatch, Henry	4 50
Hamm, Charles	3 00
Hiltz, E. J.	6 00
Johnston, Fred	3 30
Kenney, Geo. O.	8 85
King, Frank	1 00
Knight, W. E.	3 05
Knight, William	2 35
Knowlton, A. W.	10 40
Lawrence, E. A.	6 47

Leonard, Royal	3 75	
Leavitt, H. F.	30 19	
Leavitt, Fred	16 50	
Leavitt, M. S.	8 32	
Mills, E. D.	2 25	
Mann, Charles	11 25	
Nealey, Scott	4 39	
Newcomb, M. T.	21 38	
Nealey, Jefferson	2 00	
Porter, N. T.	5 10	
Porter, L. F.	6 22	
Parsons, Maurice	6 07	
Parsons, Roland	18 00	
Roberts C. F.	6 13	
Ryder, Ira G.	31 82	
Ryder, William	8 54	
Rogers, F. O.	5 75	
Reed, Alton	14 25	
Staples, L. H.	4 25	
Simpson, W. F.	25 50	
Smith, A. L.	8 08	
Snow, Bert	7 08	
Seabury, E. L.	3 75	
Smith, H. H. D.	2 85	
Staples, L. A.	3 37	
Smith, Arthur	2 02	
Smith, G. W.	5 08	
Stevenson, Warren	6 60	
Smith, L. O.	3 75	
Simpson, W. F.	9 25	
Simpson, L. W.	10 20	
Tolman, A. L.	3 60	
Tribou, F. A.	19 98	
Tribou, F. A. to C. M. Conant Co.	9 00	
Toothaker, Charles	3 00	
Whitcomb, C. H.	16 50	
Whitcomb, H. R.	3 16	
Whitcomb, Geo. W.	6 68	
		$581 48

W. O. Davis, commissioner	$ 83 87	
Arnold, M. F.	4 50	
Arnold, Allen	1 50	
Gatchell, Edwin	10 50	
Gatchell, George	1 50	
Howes, Vivien	1 50	
Knight, W. V.	3 00	
Knight, Willington	8 75	
Kimball, Guy	19 22	
Loring, Lewis	8 00	
Mills, E. D.	3 00	
Miller, J. E.	19 00	
Miller, J. J.	7 50	
Norton, Ben	7 25	
Otis, Frank	9 00	
Otis, J. P.	8 00	
Parsons, Irving	4 50	
Parsons, Allie M.	1 50	
Porter, Milton	42 00	
Prescott, Ralph	4 50	
Rines, George W.	7 50	
Rogers, F. O.	20 00	
Smith, Walter	2 17	
Witham, B. A.	4 00	
		$282 26

Henry M. Leonard, commissioner	$165 00	
Baker, Will	5 70	
Boon, Arthur	3 00	
Croxford, Ray	3 60	
Croxford, L. D.	2 48	
Cookson, George	3 00	
Cobb, Wilbur	2 40	
Chapman, Warren	9 75	
Flement, Lewis	7 20	
Fairbrother, Roscoe	3 25	
Gray, Allie	23 45	
Garland, J. J.	1 50	
Hart, Alfred	31 90	
Johnston, F. M.	17 00	
Kenney, George	1 05	
Luce, Arthur J.	4 50	
Lawrence, Ed.	5 70	
Luce, Harry W.	4 20	
Leonard, Christopher	1 50	
Mitchell, W. E.	4 35	
Morrell, Alonzo	1 00	
Nealey, Scott	3 75	
Rich, G. W.	5 88	
Snow, Bert	2 70	
Smith, Guy	6 75	
Smith, Albert	28 00	
Tolman, A. L.	1 50	
Watson, John	13 82	
Williams, Fred	7 00	
Simpson, William	2 00	
		$372 93

PERMANENT ROAD, SOUTH ROAD

Appropriated,		$200 00
H. M. Leonard,	$ 80 75	
Anthony, Joseph	6 00	
Baker, Hannibal	9 00	
Bartlett, Manter	18 75	
Bridgham, Elmer	6 00	
Bridgham, Merton	6 00	
Chapman, C. L. gravel,	23 00	
Davis, Frank	18 75	
Foster, Maurice	7 50	
Flement, Lewis	7 50	
Jolander, Axel	14 75	
Lake, Charles	23 75	
Leonard, H. M. plank,	7 92	
Lawrence, Edwin	9 00	
Mills, Elias	7 50	
Newcomb, Mark	11 25	
Newcomb, E. L.	23 13	
Newcomb, Charles	8 63	
Newcomb, Wilmot lumber,	3 00	
Porter, Allie	7 50	
Rich, G. W.	15 00	
Smith, Guy	4 50	
Smith, Walter	22 50	
Tribou, George	25 50	
Tribou, Fred	11 25	
Bartlett, H. M. wire	4 00	
Snow, Bert	6 00	
Cilley, Fred	7 50	
		396 93
Overdrawn,		$196 93

96 rods of permanent road at a cost of $4.13 per rod.

STATE ROAD

E. L. Newcomb,	$ 95 76	
Maurice Foster,	33 75	
Ralph Newcomb,	44 75	
F. A. Tribou,	73 58	
G. L. Tribou,	74 24	
W. H. Dillingham,	43 50	
Maurice Parsons,	42 09	
Fred Cilley,	19 50	
Joseph Anthony,	21 00	
Merton Bridgham,	7 50	
Elmer Bridgham,	21 00	
Myron Whitcomb,	12 75	
E. D. Mills,	21 00	
C. F. Roberts,	20 25	
Charles Hamm,	4 50	
Elbridge Whitcomb,	6 00	
Charles Boyington,	7 50	
William Ryder, gravel,	64 16	
Ira Ryder,	6 75	
Walter Mitchell,	19 50	
L. F. Porter,	27 15	
Clarence Young,	28 64	
G. W. Smith,	8 50	
A. D. Foster,	28 50	
Harry Harding,	6 75	
L. H. Staples,	7 50	
George Getchell,	3 00	
Manley Bartlett,	7 50	
Roscoe Packard,	1 50	
Raymond Sidelinker,	14 60	
S. W. Bridgham, gravel	35 50	
Melvin Sewall, lumber	4 32	
		$812 54

175 rods of permanent road at a cost of $4.64 per rod.

Treasurer's Report

JOHN J. DEARBORN, Treas., in account with TOWN OF NEWBURG for the fiscal year ending Feb. 18, 1913

Received from all sources			$9,123 14
1912			
Mch. 23	Rec'd from former treasurer		$ 204 80
	" A. L. Tolman, 1911 taxes		1,095 22
Mch. 30		$706 53	
May 10		70 72	
Dec. 16		58 96	
1913			
Feb. 17		259 01	
			$1,095 22
	Rec'd from A. M. Hart on 1912 taxes		4963 68
July 13		$264 45	
Aug. 12		576 92	
Aug. 14		196 72	
Aug. 29		280 97	
Oct. 4		383 91	
Nov. 9		937 80	
Nov. 22		431 28	
Dec. 7		395 00	
Dec. 24		480 74	
Feb. 8		566 06	
Feb. 17		57 00	
Feb. 17		392 83	
			$4,963 68

	From other sources:	
Apr. 15	State, dog tax refund	62 48
Apr. 21	State, pauper account	69 66
May 27	Merchants Nat'l Bank, loan on note	500 57
Aug. 2	State, pauper account	76 59
Sept. 20	J. J. Staples on dog tax	40 00
Nov. 25	State pension	60 00
Dec. 23	State road refund	412 54
Dec. 31	High school refund	300 00
1913		
Jan. 11	R. R. and telegraph tax	197 47
Jan. 11	Common school fund	483 71
Jan. 11	School mill fund	602 42
Feb. 1	State executive department	35 00
Feb. 17	A. M. Hart on dog tax	19 00
		$9,123 14

Paid out by order of selectmen	$8,809 28
Cash on hand Feb. 18, 1913	313 86
	$9,123 14

Respectfully submitted,

J. J. DEARBORN,
Treasurer.

Auditor's Report

I hereby certify that I have examined the accounts of the Selectmen, Treasurer and Tax Collector for the year 1912-13, and find them correct.

C. H. WHITCOMB, Auditor.

Newburg, Feb. 18, 1913.

Superintendent of Schools' Report

I present to the citizens of the Town of Newburg, my report as Superintendent of schools for the past year.

SCHOOL FUND

Received from the State,	$1,086 13	
Raised by the town,	700 00	
Overdrawn in 1911,	109 97	
Available for 1912,		$1,676 16

TEACHERS' SALARIES

Spring Term

Gladys Lowell,	8 weeks,	$64 00	
Linda Hopkins,	8 "	60 00	
Lulu Whitcomb,	8 "	72 00	
Carrie Larrabee,	8 "	60 00	
Ruth Grindle,	8 "	60 00	
Helena Green,	8 "	68 00	
Lois Elden,	8 "	56 00	
Total,			$440 00

Fall Term

Flora Hulbert,	10 weeks,	$70 00	
Ruth Grindle,	10 "	75 00	
Effie Perkins,	10 "	70 00	
Helena Green,	10 "	75 00	
Wara Winchinbaugh,	10 "	70 00	
Merton Bridgham,	10 "	70 00	
Linda Hopkins,	10 "	70 00	
Total,			500 00

Winter Term

Merton Bridgham,	8 weeks	$60 00	Outstanding Bill
Dora Sweet,	5 "	37 50	
Susie Brennan,	3 "	23 25	
Effie Perkins,	8 "	56 00	
Linda Hopkins,	8 "	56 00	
Laurel Moores,	8 "	56 00	
Helena Green,	8 "	60 00	
Effie Morrill,	7 "	50 40	
Total,			399 15
Total amount paid teachers,			$1,339 15

TRANSPORTATION

Clarence Young,	8 weeks	$ 48 00	
William Ryder,	18 "	108 00	
Chas. Mann,	1 3-10 "	2 60	
Geo. Whitcomb,	4 3-10 "	8 60	
Walter Clements,	26 "	112 00	
Albert Smith,	26 "	132 40	
Board of Henry Craig, Winter term		6 00	
			$417 60

FUEL

Milton Chapman, kindling wood		$ 3 00	
Geo. Whitcomb, 2 cords of wood		10 00	
C. L. Chapman, 5	"	25 00	
Mark Newcomb, 2	"	10 00	
Geo. Rines, 1	"	4 50	
J. E. Miller, 1	"	5 00	
Thomas Fifield, wood		9 00	
Helena Green, kindling wood		1 50	
			$68 00

JANITOR

Oscar Fall, Hill School	$ 2 50

STATEMENT

Amount paid to teachers,	$1,339 15	
for transportation,	417 60	
fuel,	68 00	
janitor,	2 50	
Total amount paid out,	$1,827 25	
Available,	1,676 16	
Overdrawn,		$151 09

SCHOOL HOUSE REPAIRS

Amount raised by the town,		$100 00
M. B. Severance, cleaning 2 schoolhouses,	6 00	
E. J. Hiltz, " 1 schoolhouse,	3 00	
Nellie Ryder, " 2 schoolhouses,	4 00	
Guy Kimball, " 1 schoolhouse,	1 50	
Chas. Green, painting blackboards,	1 00	
J. J. Dearborn, lumber, etc.,	3 34	
Geo. Whitcomb, supplies,	1 30	
Henry Bartlett, supplies,	2 17	
Geo. Cookson, repairs,	2 00	
		24 31
Unexpended,		$75 69

TEXT BOOK ACCOUNT

Amount raised by the town,	$50 00	
Overdrawn in 1911,	13 77	
Available for 1912,		$36 23
Ginn & Company, due in 1911,	$ 8 69	
Ginn & Company,	3 00	
Ginn & Company,	4 80	
Lillian Hamm, books, express, etc.,	4 32	
		20 81
Unexpended,		$15 42

FREE HIGH SCHOOL

Amount raised by the town, 1909,	$250 00	
received from the State, 1909,	55 00	
" " " 1911,	300 00	
due " " 1912,	200 00	
raised by the town, 1912,	150 00	
received from the State, 1912,	300 00	
		$1,255 00

Paid

Roscoe Smith,	10 weeks, 1909,	$110 00	
James R. Dwelley,	30 " 1910-11,	450 00	
James R. Dwelley,	20 " 1911,	300 00	
James R. Dwelley,	10 " 1912,	150 00	
Emery L. Leathers,	5 " 1912,	75 00	
Hillman Smith,	5 " 1912,	75 00	
E. L. Bartlett,	10 " 1912,	150 00	
			$1,310 00

FUEL

Clarence Young, 2 cords of wood,	$10 00

JANITORS

James R. Dwelley,	30 weeks, 1911-12,	$ 6 00	
Hillman Smith,	10 " 1912,	2 50	
E. L. Bartlett,	10 " 1912,	5 00	
			$13 50

TEXT BOOKS

Ginn & Company,	$36 48

We ought to appropriate $200 for the high school this year.

As a town maintaining a class C high school is not obliged to furnish an apparatus for laboratory work, the money raised for that purpose has been used to purchase needed books, for the school.

Amount raised	$50 00
Unexpended	13 52

In conclusion we wish to say that if our efforts to make our schools a success have not always met your approval, wherever we have failed we ask pardon for our failure, and close with a strong appeal to you to look after the interest of our schools for upon them rests the future of our town, state and nation. For the support of the S. S. Committee and the unfailing courtesy of the citizens, I am deeply grateful and extend my thanks to all.

Respectfully submitted,

MRS. LILLIAN HAMM,
Supt. of Schools.

FRANK SHAW,
GEO. WHITCOMB,
M. J. SEVERANCE,
} S. S. Committee

Henry J. Luce - First Selectmen
Town Agent.

Official

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TOWN OFFICERS OF NEWBURG

Moderator
W. E. LUCE

Town Clerk
J. J. STAPLES

Selectmen, Assessors and Overseers of Poor
HENRY J. LUCE JOHN E. MILLER FRED A. TRIBOU

Town Agent
HENRY J. LUCE

Treasurer
J. J. DEARBORN

Tax Collector and Constable
ALFRED M. HART

Auditor
C. H. WHITCOMB

School Committee

GEO. WHITCOMB,	Term expires 1914
MELVIN J. SEVERANCE,	Term expires 1915
OSCAR H. FALL,	Term expires 1916

Superintendent
LILLIAN HAMM

Road Commissioners
E. L. NEWCOMB W. O. DAVIS HENRY MADDOCKS

WARRANT

STATE OF MAINE PENOBSCOT SS.

To ALFRED M. HART, a constable of the town of Newburg in said county.

GREETING :

In the name of the State of Maine, you are hereby required to notify and warn the inhabitants of said town of Newburg, qualified by law to vote in town affairs, to assemble at the Town House in said town of Newburg, on Monday, the second day of March, 1914, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, to act on the following articles, to wit :

Art. 1 To choose a Moderator to preside at said meeting.

Art. 2 To choose a Clerk for the ensuing year.

Art. 3 To hear the report of Town Officers and act thereon.

Art. 4 To choose Selectmen, Assessors and Overseers of the Poor for the ensuing year.

Art. 5 To choose one member of the School Committee for three years.

Art. 6 To choose a Town Treasurer for the ensuing year.

Art. 7 To choose a Collector of Taxes, and vote what percent to pay him for collecting the same.

Art. 8 To choose a Town Auditor and all other necessary Town Officers for the ensuing year. including fire warden

Art. 9 To raise money for the support of common schools.

Art. 10 To raise money for support of poor.

Art. 11 To raise money for incidental expenses.

Art. 12 To raise money for roads and bridges.

Art. 13 To raise money for repairs on school houses.

Art. 14 To raise money for school books.

Art. 15 To raise money for free high school.

Art. 16 To raise money for abatements.

Art. 17 To see if the town will vote "yes" or "no" on the question of appropriating and raising money necessary to entitle the town to state aid as provided in section 20 of chapter 130 of the Public Laws of 1913.

Art. 18 To see if the town will appropriate and raise the sum of $1000 for the improvement of the sections of state aid roads as outlined in the report of the state highway commission, in addition to the amounts regularly raised for the care of ways, highways and bridges ; the above amount being the amount which the town is allowed to raise under the provisions of sections 19 and 2~~3~~ of chapter 130 of the Public Laws of 1913. (22)

Art. 19. To see whether the town will vote to raise money, and what sum, for the maintenance of state aid highways during the ensuing year, within the limits of the town, under the provisions of section ~~18~~ of chapter 130 of the Public Laws of 1913. 9

Art. 20 To see if the town will vote to raise $100 to be expended for permanent improvements on Winterport Road.

Given under our hands at Newburg, Me., this 18th day of February, 1914.

HENRY J. LUCE,
JOHN E. MILLER,
F. A. TRIBOU,
} Selectmen of Newburg

Report of Assessors

INVENTORY OF ALL ESTATES

Real Estate, resident,	$177,260 00	
Real estate, non-resident,	10,805 00	
Personal estate, resident,	61,226 00	
Grand total valuation		$249,291 00

LIVE STOCK

	No.	Av. Val.	Total Value	
Horses,	332	$49	$16,475 00	
Colts, 3 to 4 years,	9	35	315 00	
Colts, 2 to 3 years,	30	39	1,175 00	
Colts, under 2 years,	14	26	375 00	
Cows,	536	22	11,743 00	
Oxen,	27	41	1,105 00	
3 year old,	87	17	1,518 00	
2 year old,	149	14	2,007 00	
1 year old,	153	9	1,368 00	
Sheep,	558	3	1,675 00	
Swine,	89	8	720 00	
				$38,476 00

OTHER PERSONAL PROPERTY

Bank Stock, 97 shares,	$9,700 00	
Money at interest,	4,100 00	
Stock in trade,	5,200 00	
Automobiles (6),	850 00	
Musical Instruments (22),	2,000 00	
Furniture,	300 00	
Machinery not taxed as real estate,	600 00	
		$22,750 00
Total personal property,		$61,226 00

Number of polls taxed, 195.
Number of polls not taxed, 31.
Tax rate .021.

Tax on 249,291 at .021,	$5,235 11	
Tax on 195 polls at $3.00,	585 00	
		$5,820 11

State tax,	$1,414 85
County tax,	274 08
Support of common schools,	800 00
Support of poor,	100 00
Incidental expenses,	400 00
Interest J. J. Dearborn,	15 00
Roads and bridges,	1,200 00
Repairs on school houses,	100 00
Text books,	50 00
Free high school,	200 00
Abatements,	50 00
New hearse,	400 00
State road,	400 00
Permanent highway South road,	200 00
Permanent highway Cass road,	200 00
Overlay,	16 18
Total commitment to collector,	$5,820 11

Report of Selectmen

Cash on hand February 18, 1913,	$ 313 86	
Rec'd from Alfred M. Hart col. bal. 1912 tax,	320 91	
Rec'd from Alfred M. Hart col. 1913 tax,	5,128 86	
From State, free high school,	306 66	
State, dog tax refunded,	50 45	
State, damage to sheep,	57 00	
Supt. of schools, tuition,	7 50	
Bank loan,	600 00	
State R. R. and telegraph tax,	210 39	
State, soldier's burial,	35 00	
pension,	180 00	
road refund,	406 84	
school mill fund,	661 16	
common school fund,	510 07	
H. H. Maddocks, one-half exp. metal culvert,	7 00	
Total amount received,		$8,795 70

PAID OUT DURING YEAR BY ORDERS

Highways and bridges	$2,032 32
State road,	868 03
Pauper account,	38 34
State tax,	1,414 85
County tax,	274 08
Incidentals,	643 39
Dog licenses,	63 00
Sheep killed by dogs,	57 00
Merchant's Nat'l Bank, note and interest,	621 09
State pensions,	156 00

Abatements,	46 01	
Hearse,	400 00	
Free high school,	450 00	
Tuition,	10 00	
Teachers' salaries,	1,410 00	
Transportation,	442 00	
Fuel,	142 00	
Repair of school houses,	140 88	
Text books,	59 38	
Janitor service,	11 00	
		$9,279 37
Total amount of orders drawn	$9,279 37	
Outstanding orders of 1913,	625 11	
Amount of 1913 orders cashed by treasury,	$8,654 26	
Amount of 1912 orders cashed by treasury,	45 01	
Amount of 1911 orders cashed by treasury,	1 65	
Total amount of orders cashed by treasury,		$8,700 92

ASSETS

Cash in treasury,	$ 94 78	
Due from collector, 1913 taxes,	691 25	
Due from town clerk, dog licenses 1912,	9 00	
Due from town clerk, dog licenses 1913,	65 00	
Due interest on Hussey fund,	26 00	
State, free high school refund	200 00	
State, on account dog licenses (about),	50 00	
		$1,136 03

LIABILITIES

Outstanding Orders 1913,	$625 11
Salaries, Henry J. Luce,	60 00
J. E. Miller,	50 00
F. A. Tribou,	50 00
J. J. Dearborn, treas.	25 00
J. J. Staples, clerk,	20 00

Mrs. Lillian Hamm, Supt.	60 00	
Alfred M. Hart, collector, 1913	145 50	
Estimated amount of outstanding bills,	200 00	
		$1,235 61
Liabilities in excess of resources,		99 58

SCHOOL REPORT

Amount raised by vote of town,	$ 800 00	
Received from State,	1,171 23	
		$1,971 23
Overdrawn 1912,		91 09
		1,880 14
Teachers' order from 1912,		60 00
Available, 1913,		1,820 14
Paid teachers,	$1,350 00	
transportation,	442 00	
fuel,	129 50	
janitor,	6 00	
		$1,927 50
Overdrawn,		107 36

FREE HIGH SCHOOL

Amount raised by town,	$200 00	
Received from State and tuition,	107 50	
Due from State 1913,	200 00	
Available,		$507 50
Overdrawn previous years,		78 50
Available,		$429 00

EXPENDITURES

E. L. Bartlett, spring term,	$150 00	
E. L. Bartlett, janitor service,	5 00	
Winfred Edminster, fall and winter	300 00	
Fuel, Maurice Foster,	12 50	
		$467 50
Overdrawn,		38 50

SCHOOL HOUSE REPAIRS

Amount raised by town,	$100 00	
Paid by orders,		
Raymond Sidelinker,	5 70	
Sadie Porter,	12 00	
Raymond Sidelinker,	3 00	
George Whitcomb,	14 99	
Lottie Ryder,	12 00	
E. J. Hiltz,	3 00	
H. R. Bartlett,	8 32	
O. H. Fall,	8 31	
H. R. Whitcomb,	5 50	
Alton Reed,	1 35	
Sears, Roebuck & Co.,	6 90	
Christopher Leonard	28 60	
Bangor Brick & Construction Co.	4 10	
C. Woodman & Co.,	27 11	
		$140 88
Overdrawn,		40 88

TEXT BOOKS

Amount raised by town,	$50 00
Unexpended from 1913,	28 94
Available,	$78 94

Paid by orders,		
Ginn & Co.,	$39 24	
Edward E. Babb & Co.,	12 47	
Lillian Hamm,	7 67	
		$59 38
Unexpended,		19 56

FUNDS AVAILABLE (School Department)

Common schools,	$1,820 14	
Text books,	78 94	
High school,	429 00	
Repairs,	100 00	
		$2,428 08

EXPENDED

Common schools,	$1,927 50	
Text books,	59 38	
High school,	465 00	
Repairs,	140 88	
		$2,592 66
Overdrawn,		164 58

Permanent ~~ROADS AND BRIDGES~~ State aid

Amount raised by town,	$400 00	
Received from State,	406 84	
Available,		$806 84
Expended,		868 03
Overdrawn,		61 19

HIGHWAY ACCOUNT

Amount raised for roads and bridges,	$1,200 00	
Amount raised for South Road, permanent,	200 00	
Amount raised for Boyington Rd., permanent,	200 00	
		$1,600 00
Expended,		2,032 32
Overdrawn,		432 32

PAUPER ACCOUNT

Amount raised by town,		$100 00
Paid Mrs. Fred M. Johnston, clothes, Abbie Wiley,	$7 50	
Paid H. R. Bartlett, clothing, for J. Bowen's children,	30 84	
		$38 34
Unexpended,		61 66

Hearse.

Amount raised to buy hearse,		$400 00
Paid William A. Carroll, New Hearse	$370 00	
M. C. R. R., freight,	30 00	
		$400 00
Received from State soldiers' burial,	$35 00	
Burial Edwin Smith,		$35 00

INCIDENTAL ACCOUNTS

Amount raised by town,	$400 00	
Overlay,	16 18	
Received from State R. R. and Tel. tax,	210 39	
State dog tax refunded,	50 45	
Interest J. J. Dearborn,	15 00	
Edwin Smith	33 00	$692 02
		723.02

PAID BY ORDERS

Henry J. Luce, Selectman, salary,	$60 00	
J. E. Miller, selectman, salary,	50 00	
F. A. Tribou, selectman, salary,	50 00	
J. J. Dearborn, treasurer, salary,	25 00	
Charles Fisher, hunting moths 1913,	22 00	
Raymond Sidelinker, stove,	2 00	
Henry J. Luce, brown-tail notices and postage,	4 50	1913

213.50
429.89
643.39

† Bangor Children's Home, Maurice.	32 45	Whitcomb.
G. G. Estabrook Sons, flags and postage,	6 41	
Thos. W. Burr Co., printing town reports,	24 50	
Alfred M. Hart, posting warrants,	4 50	
A. W. Whitcomb, services as justice 1913,	2 00	
C. H. Whitcomb, services as auditor 1913,	2 00	
William Bartlett, care cemetery and Hussey lot,	8 50	
Frank Davis, watering place,	1 50	
Fred A. Rogers, services as ballot clerk,	2 00	
Maurice Parsons, services as ballot clerk,	2 00	
Fred M. Johnston, care Rigley cemetery.	3 00	
M. J. Sewall, driving hearse,	28 00	
Charles Mudgett, watering place	1 50	
Alfred M. Hart, watering place,	1 50	
F. W. Luce, lodging tramps,	2 00	
W. E. Luce, services as moderator,	2 00	
F. O. Rogers, care of cemetery,	5 00	
Alfred M. Hart, collecting taxes 1912-13,	105 69	
E. F. Dillingham, order books and town supplies,	15 31	
C. Woodman & Co., shingles town house,	48 00	
Interest on orders,	2 03	
J. J. Dearborn, Int.	15 00	
Soldier's burial,	35 00	
J. J. Staples, services as town clerk,	20 00	
Lillian Hamm, services as Supt.,	60 00	
	$643 39	
Bank note interest,	21 09	
		$664 38
Balance		27 64
Balance		35 00
		$62.64

Received from State for sheep killed by dogs,		$57 00
J. J. Dearborn,	$18 00	
J. G. Trask,	17 00	
M. S. Leavitt,	22 00	
		$57 00

Respectfully submitted,

HENRY J. LUCE)
J. E. MILLER) Selectmen of Newburg
F. A. TRIBOU)

Estimate of the amount of money required under the following articles :

Article 9.	Support common schools,	$ 700 00	800
10.	Support poor,	100 00	
11.	Incidentals,	400 00	
+12.	Roads and bridges,	1,200 00	
13.	Repairs on school houses,	100 00	150
14.	School books,	50 00	
15.	Free high school,	160 00	
16.	Abatements,	50 00	
+18.	State highway	1,000 00	
+19.	maintainance	150 00	
20.	Newburyport road.	100 00	
			4010,00

HIGHWAY ACCOUNT

Paid by Order — County 275,00 — State 1130,24 — 5415.24

NORTH ROAD

W. O. Davis, commissioner	$107 71
Allen Arnold	6 00
W. H. Rines,	4 50
Geo. Rines,	4 50
Chas. Bayington,	12 40
P. J. Bayington,	29 52

Fred Miller,	14 59	
J. W. Bowen,	1 50	
Frank King,	1 50	
B. H. Norton,	10 75	
Chas. Toothaker,	1 50	
Percy Porter,	5 25	
M. S. Porter,	34 82	
Araid Ricker,	15 00	
Morse & Co., plank,	40 11	
C. W. Uetz, gravel,	10 00	
S. M. Packard,	27 52	
L. H. Leavitt,	30 75	
Uley Bickford,	21 00	
F. O. Rogers,	4 00	
Emery Curtis,	17 25	
C. A. Staples, road supplies,	7 02	
Fred Toothaker,	15 00	
Roland Parsons,	7 50	
A. G. Lawrence,	10 50	
Guy Kimball,	6 20	
J. P. Otis,	9 25	
Chas. Fisher,	7 50	
W. V. Knight,	8 50	
A. A. Cookson,	6 00	
Thomas Fifield,	16 40	
Ed Gatchell,	9 00	
Roy Gatchell,	2 25	
Wilbur Curtis,	3 75	
Auleigh Howes,	5 25	
Walter Howes,	10 50	
Fred Howes,	14 00	
Lewis Loring,	10 50	
Frank Otis,	8 25	
L. B. Miller,	10 87	
		$568 16

PERMANENT ROAD, BOYINGTON ROAD

W. O. Davis, Commissioner,	$12 00	
Walter Howes,	6 00	
William Curtis,	6 00	
Percy Porter,	5 25	
Benj. Norton,	6 00	
E. D. Mills,	6 00	
Ed. Gatchell,	6 00	
Allen Arnold,	6 00	
Lester Ward,	27 25	
P. J. Boyington,	16 00	
Fred Miller,	16 87	
W. H. Rines,	13 87	
George Rines,	13 87	
M. S. Porter,	14 62	
Fred A. Howes,	7 50	
Walter York,	12 00	
A. G. Lawrence,	8 25	
Guy Kimball,	10 50	
J. E. Miller,	16 00	
S. M. Packard,	16 87	
L. H. Leavitt,	6 50	
John J. Miller,	11 25	
Orrin Miller,	9 75	
Eulie Bickford,	8 00	
C. H. Whitcomb,	5 25	
Wellington Knight,	7 50	
	———	$278 60

No. of rods, 51. Cost per rod, $5.46.
Cost to open and fill ready for gravel,
$3.25 per rod.
Cost per rod for gravel, $1.60.

North road over dam. $246
841 feet cost 34 ¢ a fo

PERMANENT SOUTH ROAD

Henry H. Maddocks, commissioner,	$12 00	
Frank Nealey,	4 00	
Montford Nealey,	4 00	
Fred Walker,	9 00	
Ira Ryder,	9 00	
M. B. Severance,	52 87	
Bert Snow,	6 75	
Fred Ellingwood,	9 37	
J. F. Davis,	13 12	
Alphonson Porter,	16 87	
Manley Bartlett,	11 25	
Charles Boyington	9 37	
Frank Pratt,	4 50	
Manter Bartlett,	2 25	
Wilbur Rich,	6 00	
E. A. Lawrence,	7 50	
George Rich,	9 75	
William Ryder,	3 75	
Ray Porter,	3 00	
J. J. Dearborn,	10 00	
Axel Jolander, gravel	20 00	
C. A. Newcomb, ½ cost met. culvert,	7 00	
		$231 35

No. of rods 83⅓. Cost per rod, $2.78. - 43 - $2.68 more.
Cost to open and fill ready for gravel,
$1.62 per rod.
Cost for gravel per rod, $1.15.

Chapman. 30 rd. - $23.00 to open & fill
1365 feet

WORK ON SOUTH ROAD

H. H. Maddocks, commissioner,	$118 00
M. B. Severance,	94 60
Marion Bartlett,	3 00
Ira Ryder.	23 10
Fred W. Luce,	19 00
H. W. Nealey,	22 50
William Goodrich,	20 00
Walter Mitchell,	32 85
C. L. Chapman,	13 50
Hannibal Baker,	2 50
John Watson,	3 75
Fred Cilley,	5 25
E. L. Newcomb,	11 00
A. M. Morrill	3 00
W. F. Perkins,	6 30
J. F. Davis,	7 00
F. B. Morrill,	9 50
H. R. Bartlett, (plank),	9 36
E. A. Lawrence,	8 25
D. A. Chapman,	5 00
Fred M. Johnston,	4 50
R. H. Fairbrother,	10 80
Alfred M. Hart,	1 80
Fred Ellingwood	4 25
Chas. D. Newcomb,	4 80
George Chapman,	10 50
Fred Newcomb,	1 00
C. H. Smith,	6 00
Sterns Lumber Co. (plank),	11 43
	$472 54
	31 35
	$103.89

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WORK ON MIDDLE ROAD

E. L. Newcomb, commissioner,	$74 12	
W. H. Hollis,	13 00	
Elmer Bridgham,	1 50	
Charles Boyington,	7 50	
George W. Whitcomb	20 50	
M. S. Leavitt,	21 30	
Fred Cilley,	6 00	
F. A. Tribou,	8 67	
L. H. Staples,	4 00	
C. F. Roberts,	3 15	
F. B. Leavitt,	10 90	
W. E. Mitchell,	1 50	
M. J. Sewall,	15 62	
Ira Ryder,	9 00	
N. F. Porter,	3 00	
Mrs. Mary Whitcomb,	1 44	
A. W. Whitcomb,	4 42	
W. F. Simpson,	9 50	
L. W. Simpson,	6 00	
Melvin Severance,	24 00	
E. J. Hiltz,	68	
Charles Bartlett,	5 50	
Fremont Grant,	1 13	
William Ryder,	1 50	
Roland Parsons,	6 00	
G. W. Smith,	10 50	
H. R. Bartlett (plank),	10 00	
W. H. Dillingham,	7 09	
Frank Morrill,	6 00	
C. H. Whitcomb,	9 00	
H. H. Maddocks,	4 00	
H. R. Whitcomb,	12 00	
A. W. Whitcomb,	5 85	
		$324 37

STATE ROAD

E. L. Newcomb,	$ 43 12
F. A. Tribou (foreman),	130 35
Fred Cilley,	26 25
Henry Hatch	10 50
Elmer Bridgham,	17 25
Frank Washburn,	5 25
Ira Ryder,	12 00
George Gatchell,	17 35
C. F. Roberts,	20 25
Walter Mitchell,	23 25
Charles Fisher,	15 00
Rufas Whitcomb,	6 75
Percy Porter,	3 00
George Smith,	3 00
J. S. Anthony,	17 25
Raymond Sidelinker,	32 25
Wilber Hamlin,	10 95
Warran Page,	3 00
Maurice Parsons,	39 75
L. F. Porter,	28 12
M. J. Sewall	30 75
Lester Ward	15 75
Ernest Seabury,	12 75
A. B. Newcomb,	3 75
N. T. Porter,	22 50
Clarence Young,	27 45
William Ryder,	20 32
Fred Leavitt,	15 75
M. B. Severance,	13 47
George Tribou,	37 65
George Whitcomb,	39 90
Engineer,	22.40
18" metal culvert 22'	25.30

Howard Whitcomb,	50 62	
P. J. Boyington,	7 50	
L. F. Porter (gravel and dirt),	30 00	
Maurice Parsons (gravel)	12 00	
Fred A. Tribou, (dynamite and supplies)	16 63	
		$868 03
Joint fund,		806 84
Overdrawn,		61 19

Length, 127 3-11 rods, or 2100 feet.
Cost per rod, $6.82 or 41 cents per foot.

~~$ 3 2 4 3 7~~
~~3 8 5 . 5 4~~

Total permanent. 2 4 1 rd.

ready for gravel ~~$ 5 0~~ ~~3 7~~ 1 rd

ROAD WORK FROM YEAR 1912-13

H. H. Maddocks,	$23 98	
Milton Porter,	2 50	
M. J. Sewall,	17 92	
George L. Tribou,	49 06	
C. F. Mudgett,	3 75	
A. W. Whitcomb,	3 10	
Harold Dillingham,	2 25	
Charles Croxford,	1 12	
Charles Hamm,	2 25	
W. E. Mitchell	6 00	
Fred Ellingwood,	7 50	
George Bickford,	65	
Leander Croxford,	1 50	
Isaiah Croxford,	1 50	
Alphonso Porter,	2 93	
H. M. Leonard	5 75	
C. D. Newcomb,	1 50	
L. O. Smith,	75	
E. A. Lawrence.	3 60	
G. M. Rich,	6 54	
Harry Stevenson,	3 03	
F. M. Johnston,	2 75	
		$149 93

Total 1913 4308 feet.

John J. Dearborn, in Account with the Town of Newburg
For the Fiscal Year Ending February 17, 1914.

Received from all sources:

Cash on hand Feb. 18, 1913,		$313 86	
Feb. 24	from the State, State pensions,	24 00	
Apr. 15	from the State, dog tax refund,	50 45	
June 11	bank loan,	600 00	
June 25	from State, Soldier's burial,	35 00	
July 11	A. M. Hart, collector,	575 34	
Aug. 1	from the State, State pensions,	72 00	
Aug. 1	from Supt. of schools, tuition,	7 50	
Aug. 23	A. M. Hart, collector,	320 00	
Nov. 10	A. M. Hart, collector,	535 37	
Dec. 4	from State, damage to sheep,	57 00	
Dec. 24	from State, acct. free high school,	306 66	
Dec. 29	from State, acct. on State road improvements,	406 84	
1914			
Jan. 6	A. M. Hart, collector, cash and orders,	2,640 91	
Jan. 23	from State, school mill fund,	661 16	
Jan. 23	from State, common school fund,	510 07	
Jan. 23	from State, R. R. and Tel., tax refund,	210 39	
Feb. 6	from State, State pensions,	84 00	
Feb. 14	A. M. Hart, collector, bal. 1912 tax,	320 91	
Feb. 14	A. M. Hart, collector, on 1913 tax,	1,057 24	
Feb. 16	H. H. Maddocks, one-half exp. metal culvert,	7 00	
			$8,795 70
	Total received,	$8,795 70	
	Paid out on orders by the selectmen,		8,700 92
	Cash on hand February 17, 1914,		94 78

Respectfully submitted,
J. J. DEARBORN,
Treasurer of Newburg.

Auditor's Report

TO THE CITIZENS OF THE TOWN OF NEWBURG,

GENTLEMEN:

I have audited the accounts of the Selectmen and Treasurer of the Town of Newburg for the fiscal year, ending February 17, 1914.

The books of the town have been kept in a neat and systematic manner, and the financial standing of the town as shown by the Selectmen and Treasurer in their reports, is a correct transcript from the town's books.

C. H. WHITCOMB, Auditor,

Newburg, Me., Feb. 17, 1914.

Town Clerk's Report

Deaths Recorded in Newburg for the Year 1913.

Date of Death	Name	Years	Mos.	Days
Jan. 17	Charles T. Folsom	78	5	7
Jan. 18	Elbridge Whitcomb	78	1	16
Feb. 5	Lloyd M. Bartlett	6	1	8
Feb. 17	Ernest Parsons	43	5	14
Feb. 11	Percy L. Bartlett	32		
Mar. 10	Mary A. Chapman	84	1	23
Apr. 17	Mary J. Gasper,	77	7	17
May 16	Geo. S. Ward	76	5	4
July 1	Bertha D. York	2	4	6
Aug. 4				1
Nov. 18	Frances M. Smith	87	7	5
Dec. 13	Charles W. Witham	40	5	4
Dec. 17	Sanford N. Pickard	75	7	

BIRTHS FOR THE YEAR 1913
Total Number of Births, 12.

MARRIAGES RECORDED IN NEWBURG
FOR YEAR 1913

Jan. 1 Henry F. Leavitt and Vivian A. Piper.
Apr. 10 Hartwell Banks and Evelyn C. Page.
Apr. 20 Roy W. Nealley and Almena Clement.
Apr. 30 Horace Leon Fairbrother and Florence Myra Murphy.
June 24 Mark S. Leavitt and Audrey McLaughlin.
Sep. 23 Frank A. Trask and Nettie V. Means.
Nov. 13 Fred S. Curtis and Alice Howes.
Nov. 27 Harry W. Harding and June E. Tribou.
Dec. 21 Vivian Howes and Lattie Altha Farnsworth.

Respectfully submitted,

J. J. STAPLES
Town Clerk of Newburg.

Superintendent of Schools' Report

To the Citizens of the Town of Newburg:

I present my report as Superintendent of Schools for the past year. The repairs account will be found in the report of the Selectmen, and therefore, is not reproduced here.

RESOURCES

Received from the State,	$1,171 23	
Raised by the town,	800 00	
Overdrawn in 1912,	151 09	
Available for 1913,		$1,820 14

TEACHERS' SALARIES

Spring Term

Mrs. Audrey Leavitt,	$56 00	
Miss Lois M. Piper,	56 00	
Miss Edith Rogers,	64 00	
Miss Frances Lougee,	64 00	
Miss Helena Green,	60 00	
Mrs. Louvie Dillingham,	60 00	
Mrs. June Harding,	70 00	
		$430 00

Fall Term

Miss Lottie Vinal,	$56 00	
Mrs. June Harding,	56 00	
Miss Lois Piper,	70 00	
Miss Eva Cook,	80 00	
Miss Susie Leavitt,	75 00	
Miss Annie Davis,	70 00	
Miss Helena Green,	80 00	
		$487 00

Winter Term

Miss Eva Cook,	$64 00	
Miss Nellie Howes,	70 00	
Mrs. Ada York,	56 00	
Miss Helena Green,	64 00	
Miss Susie Leavitt,	60 00	
Mrs. June Harding,	56 00	
Miss M. Evelyn Fall,	63 00	
		$433 00
Total amount paid teachers,		$1,350 00

CONVEYANCE

William Ryder,	26 weeks,	$156 00	
Albert Smith,	26 weeks,	156 00	
John Watson	26 weeks,	130 00	
			$442 00

FUEL

Oscar Fall,	$68 50	
Geo. W. Whitcomb,	20 00	
Guy Kimball,	5 00	
Maurice Foster,	10 00	
Charles Croxford,	20 00	
Henry Maddocks,	6 00	
		$129 50

JANITOR

Helena Green, Ward School,	$2 00	
Robert Leavitt, Knowlton School,	2 00	
June Harding, Miller School,	2 00	
		$6 00

STATEMENT

Amount paid to teachers,	$1,350 00	
paid for conveyance,	442 00	
paid for fuel,	129 50	
paid for janitor,	6 00	
Total expenditures,		$1,927 50
Available,		1,820 14
Overdrawn,		$107 36

TEXT BOOKS

Unexpended from 1912,	$28 94	
Amount raised by the town,	50 00	
Available for 1913,		$78 94
Edward E. Babb & Co.,	$12 47	
American Book Co., High School, (outstanding bill),	9 10	
Ginn & Co., High School,	18 24	
Ginn & Co., Common School,	21 00	
Lillian Hamm, books, freight, Postage, etc.,	7 67	
		$68 48
Unexpended,		$10 46

STATISTICS

Name of School	Term	Teacher	Number registered	Average attendance	Not absent 1-2 day	Visits by citizens	Pay per week	No. of week
	Spring	Edith Rogers	14	11 3-40	0	7	$8.00	8
Gilmore	Fall	Eva Cook	11	9 9-10	0	3	8.00	10
	Winter	Eva Cook	11	9 1-10	2	0	8.00	8
	Spring	Frances Lougee	13	12	3	7	8.00	8
Chapman	Fall	Lottie Vinal	13	11	0	0	7.00	8
	Winter	Nellie Howes	13	11	0	0	7.00	10
	Spring	Louvie Dillingham	19	16	8	10	7.50	8
Knowlton	Fall	Susie Leavitt	10	9 1-10	2	1	7.50	10
	Winter	Susie Leavitt	9	8 1-4	3	0	7.50	8
	Spring	Helena Green	18	16	3	20	7.50	8
Ward	Fall	Helena Green	17	15 1-2	3	0	8.00	10
	Winter	Helena Green	17	16 1-2	7	0	8.00	8
	Spring	June Harding	18	16	4	26	7.00	10
Miller	Fall	June Harding	13	10	0	4	7.00	8
	Winter	June Harding	11	10	4	4	7.00	8
	Spring	Audrey Leavitt	13	11	5	4	7.00	8
Hill	Fall	Annie Davis	12	11	0	3	7.00	10
	Winter	M. Evelyn Fall	13	10 1-7	0	8	7.00	9
	Spring	Lois Piper	9	7 9-40	3	0	7.00	8
Arnold	Fall	Lois Piper	7	5 13-25	1	1	7.00	10
	Winter	Ada York	10	8 1-5	1	0	7.00	8

Number of persons in town between five and twenty-one years,	181
Number of different pupils registered in common schools,	105
Number of different teachers employed,	14
Number of teachers continued in the same school for the year,	2

FREE HIGH SCHOOL

Amount raised by the town,	$200 00	
received from the State,	300 00	
received from Charles Barrows, for tuition,	7 50	
Overdrawn in 1912,	78 50	
Available for 1913,		$429 00

PAID

E. L. Bartlett, spring term,	$150 00	
W. H. Edminister, fall term,	150 00	
W. H. Edminister, winter term,	150 00	
		$450 00

FUEL

W. H. Hollis, wood,	$12 50

JANITOR

E. L. Bartlett, spring term,	5 00

Lillian Hamm, one diploma.

Hampden Academy, tuition of Merton Bridgham,	10 00
Total expended,	$477 50

This year the High School is under the instruction of Mr. W H. Edminister of Dixmont. This is Mr. Edminister's first effort at teaching but he has proved himself well adapted to his work.

There has been an average attendance of about eighteen pupils so far this year.

We think the work done in our common schools will compare well with that done in the schools of other towns.

I wish to thank teachers and pupils for their kindness and attention for the past year.

Respectfully submitted,

MRS. LILLIAN HAMM,
Supt. of Schools.

GEO. WHITCOMB
M. B. SEVERANCE
OSCAR FALL
} S. S. Committee

Henry J. Luce - First Selectmen
Town Agent

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ANNUAL REPORT

OF THE

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OF THE

Town of Newburg

FOR THE YEAR

1914-1915

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NINETY-FOURTH ANNUAL REPORT

of the

TOWN OF NEWBURG

1914-1915

Newburg was Incorporated March 13, 1819

Town Officers of Newburg

Moderator

W. E. LUCE

Town Clerk

J. J. STAPLES

Selectmen, Assessors and Overseers of Poor

HENRY J. LUCE JOHN E. MILLER MARK S. LEAVITT

Town Agent

HENRY J. LUCE

Treasurer

J. J. DEARBORN

Tax Collector and Constable

FRANK B. MORRILL

Auditor

W. E. LUCE

School Committee

MELVIN B. SEVERANCE	Term expires, 1915
OSCAR H. FALL	Term expires, 1916
MELVIN J. SEWELL	Term expires, 1917

Superintendent

MRS. LILLIAN HAMM

Warrant

State of Maine *Penobscot ss.*

C. S. Talman

To *Frank B. Morrell*, a constable of the town of Newburg in said County, *Greeting:*

In the name of the State of Maine, you are hereby required to notify and warn the inhabitants of said town of Newburg, qualified by law to vote in town affairs, to assemble at the Town House in said town of Newburg, on Monday, the eighth day of March, 1915, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, to act on the following articles, to wit:

Art. 1. To choose a moderator to preside at said meeting.

Art. 2. To choose a clerk for the ensuing year.

Art. 3. To hear the report of town officers and act thereon.

Art. 4. To choose selectmen, assessors and overseers of the poor for the ensuing year.

Art. 5. To choose one member of the school committee for three years.

Art. 6. To choose a town treasurer for the ensuing year.

Art. 7. To choose a collector of taxes, and agree what per cent to pay him for collecting the same, and fix date of settlement.

Art. 8. To choose a town auditor and fire warden and all other necessary town officers for the ensuing year.

Art. 9. To raise money for the support of common schools.

Art. 10. To raise money for the support of the poor.

Art. 11. To raise money for incidental expenses.

Art. 12. To raise money for roads and bridges.

Art. 13. To raise money for repairs on school houses.

Art. 14. To raise money for school books.

Art. 15. To raise money to pay tuition of pupils attending high schools.

Art. 16. To raise money for abatements.

Art. 17. To see if the town will vote "yes" or "no" on the question of appropriating and raising money necessary to entitle the town to State aid as provided in section 20 of chapter 130 of the Public Laws of 1913.

Art. 18. To see if the town will appropriate and raise the sum of $533.00 for the improvement of the sections of State aid road as outlined in the report of the State highway commission, in addition to the amounts regularly raise for the care of ways, highways and bridges; the above amount being the maximum amount which the town is allowed to raise under the provisions of section 19 of chapter 130 of the Public Laws of 1913.

Art. 19. To see if the town will vote to raise $467,00 in addition to the $533.00 raised under Art. 18, under the provisions of section 22 of chapter 130 of the Public Laws of 1913.

Art. 20. To see whether the town will vote to raise money and what sum, for the maintenance of State aid highways during the ensuing year, within the limits of the town, under the provisions of section 9 of chapter 130 of the Public Laws of 1913.

Art. 21. To see if the town will vote to raise $100.00 for the maintenance of permanent highway, North road.

Art. 22. To see if the town will accept the jury list.

Art. 23. To see if the town will vote to take action on the collection of dog tax, viz: All owners of dogs who fail to pay their dog tax to town clerk after May 1, 1915 shall pay to the collector the fee of twenty-five cents for collecting said tax.

Art. 24. To see if the town will vote to accept $100.00 to be known as the John Stevenson Trust Fund, the income to be used for the perpetual care of the Stevenson lot in Chapman cemetery.

Given under our hands at Newburg, Me., this 23rd day of February, 1915.

HENRY J. LUCE,
JOHN E. MILLER,
MARK S. LEAVITT,
} Selectmen of Newburg.

Report of Assessors

INVENTORY OF ALL ESTATES

Real estate, resident	$177,600 00	
Real estate, non-resident	10,380 00	
Personal estate, resident	71,038 00	41,226
Personal estate, non-resident	515 00	
		$259,533 00

LIVE STOCK

	No.	Avg. Val.	Total Val.	
Horses	300	$68 00	$20,550 00	
Colts, 3 to 4 years old	15	53 00	800 00	
Colts 2 to 3 years old	26	42 00	910 00	
Colts under 2 yrs. old	2	50 00	100 00	
Cows	613	28 00	17,620 00	
Oxen	16	50 00	800 00	
Three year olds	44	21 00	945 00	
Two year olds	131	15 00	1,979 00	
One year old	131	9 00	1,272 00	
Sheep	472	3 00	1,416 00	
Swine	87	7 00	626 00	
				$47,018 00

OTHER PERSONAL PROPERTY

Bank stock, 96 shares	$9,600 00	
Other company's stock, 1 share	100 00	
Money at interest	4,500 00	
Stock in trade	5,510 00	
Automobiles	2,050 00	
Musical instruments, (26)	2,400 00	
Furniture	300 00	
Other property	75 00	
		24,535 00
Total personal property		$71,553 00

Number of polls taxed, 186.
Number of polls not taxed, 30.
Tax rate, .020½.

Tax on $259,533 00 at .020½	$5,320 43	
Tax on 186 polls at $3.00	558 00	
		$5,878 43
State tax	$1,273 57	
County tax	274 08	
Support of common schools	800 00	
Support of poor	100 00	
Incidental expenses	400 00	
Repairs on school houses	150 00	
Roads and bridges	1,200 00	
Text-books	50 00	
Free high school	160 00	
State aid highways	1,000 00	
Repairs on State aid highways	150 00	
Winterport road	100 00	
Abatements	50 00	
		$5,878 43
Supplementary		5 05
Received for hunting moths		12 63
Total commitment to collector		$5,896 11

Report of Selectmen

Cash on hand, Feb. 15, 1914	$ 94 78	
Rec'd from Alfred M. Hart, col. bal. 1913 tax	691 25	
Rec'd from F. B. Morrill, 1914 tax	5,174 23	
From State, free high school	300 00	
From State, dog tax refunded	45 27	
From State damage to sheep	18 00	
Supt. of schools, tuition	5 00	
Bank loan, June 1, 1914	600 00	
Bank loan, Nov. 16, 1914	800 00	
State R. R. & telegraph tax	196 93	
State pensions refunded	108 00	
J. J. Staples, clerk, 1913, dog tax	50 00	
J. J. Staples, clerk, 1914, dog tax	60 00	
State school, mill fund	572 48	
State common school fund	484 25	
State school equalization fund	125 00	
State school maps	25 00	
E. D. Rowell, lot in Bickford yard	5 00	
M. S. Leavitt for lot in Knowlton yard	5 00	
Total received		$9,360 19

PAID OUT DURING YEAR BY ORDERS

Highways and bridges	$2,239 80
State roads	822 54
Pauper account	15 24
State tax	1,273 57
County tax	274 08
Incidentals	782 10
Dog licenses	66 00
Sheep killed by dogs	30 00
Merchant's Nat'l Bank notes	900 00
Merchant's Nat'l bank, interest	34 52
State pensions	108 00

Abatements, 1913	64 83	
Abatements, 1914	32 99	
On road machine	120 00	
Free high school	156 00	
Tuition	70 00	
Teachers' salaries	1,305 60	
Transportation	427 00	
Fuel	66 50	
Repair of school houses	191 96	
Text-books	37 78	
Janitor service	12 00	
		$9,030 51
Total amount of orders drawn	$9,030 51	
Outstanding orders of 1914	315 08	
Amount of 1914 orders cashed by treasury		$8,715 43
Amount of 1913 orders cashed by treasury		562 71
Total amount of orders cashed by treasury		$9,278 14

Assets

Cash in treasury	$ 82 05	
Due from collector, 1914 taxes	721 88	
Due from town clerk, dog licenses, 1912	9 00	
Due from town clerk, dog licenses, 1913	15 00	
Due interest on Hussey fund	31 00	
Metal culvert	22 10	
State tuition refund	46 67	
State dog licenses refund, (about)	50 00	
State, maintenance work	197 36	
Town road machine	200 00	
		$1,375 06

Liabilities

Outstanding orders, 1913	$ 62 40	
Outstanding orders, 1914	315 08	
Merchant's Bank loan	500 00	
Salaries: Henry J. Luce	60 00	
J. E. Miller	50 00	
M. S. Leavitt	50 00	
J. J. Dearborn, treasurer	25 00	
J. J. Staples, clerk	20 00	
Mrs. Lillian Hamm, supt.	60 00	
F. B. Morrill, collector, 1914	117 92	
Due common school account	73 27	
Map fund	25 00	
Due July 1, balance on road machine	100 00	
Estimated amount of outstanding bills	50 00	
		1,508 67
Liabilities in excess of resources		$133 61

SCHOOL REPORT

Amount raised by vote of town	$800 00	
State, school mill fund	572 48	
State, common school fund	484 25	
State, equalization fund	125 00	
		$1,981 73
Overdrawn, 1913		107 36
Available, 1914		$1,874 37
Paid teachers	$1,305 60	
transportation	427 00	
fuel	66 50	
janitor	2 00	
		1,801 10
Unexpended balance		$73 27

FREE HIGH SCHOOL

Amount raised by town	$160 00	
Received from State	100 00	
Lillian Hamm, tuition	5 00	
		$265 00
Overdrawn previous years		38 50
Available		$226 50

Expended

W. H. Edminster, spring term	$150 00	
W. H. Edminster, janitor	10 00	
Educational Supply Co., diplomas	6 00	
Tuition, S. M. Packard, paid Hampden Academy	65 00	
Tuition, Guy Kimball, paid Hampden Academy	5 00	
		236 00
Overdrawn		$9 50

TEXT-BOOKS

Amount raised by town		$50 00

Expended

Edward E. Babb & Co.	$ 7 10	
D. C. Heath & Co.	3 16	
Ginn & Co.	14 86	
American Book Co.	12 66	
		37 78
Unexpended		$12 22

SCHOOL HOUSE REPAIRS

Amount raised by town		$150 00

Paid by Orders

Robert McLaughlin	$ 2 00	
F. A. Tribou	7 48	
M. S. Leavitt	2 00	
Sadie Porter	9 00	
Mrs. Chas. Fisher	7 88	
Mrs. J. Hiltz	3 00	
O. H. Fall, stone fountains	8 75	
Ada Newcomb	7 00	
Fred Leavitt	35	
Thomas Fifield	5 00	
Edgar Gatchell	4 50	
Irving Parsons	3 75	
Benjamin Witham	7 25	
O. H. Fall	23 58	
Gerald Butler	11 40	
J. R. Robinson	1 49	
M. B. Severance	3 45	
M. J. Sewell	2 00	
O. H. Fall	4 40	
Morse & Co.	19 06	
C. A. Staples	14 34	
C. Woodman Co.	42 90	
		191 96
Overdrawn		$41 96

HIGHWAY ACCOUNT

Amount raised for roads and bridges	$1,200 00	
Amount raised for Winterport road	100 00	
Gravel, North road, ½ maintenance account	75 00	
Appropriation, article 18, 1914 report	177 46	
		$1,552 46
Expended		2,239 80
Overdrawn		$687 34
Bills from last year		440 00
Overdrawn, 1914-1915		$247 34

PAUPER ACCOUNT

Amount raised by town		$100 00
Paid Mr. Fred M. Johnson, clothes and medical attendance, Abbie Wiley	$8 50	
P. E. Severance, provisions, J. W. Bowen	6 74	
		15 24
Unexpended		$84 76
Appropriated		$100 00

ABATEMENTS, 1913

Fred Avery, dead	$ 3 00
Geo. Babcock, lame	6 30
J. W. Bowen, poor	8 78
J. W. Fuller, left town	3 00
R. H. Ham, poor	3 00
E. D. Ham, poor	3 00

L. H. Leavitt, personal property, insolvent	7 41	
R. P. Leonard, not in town	3 00	
Henry Leavitt, not in town	3 00	
Frank Leavitt, past seventy	3 00	
Horace B. Luce, not in town	3 00	
John Marcho, poor	9 34	
Ray Portor, not of age	3 00	
C. W. Witham, dead	3 00	
Warren Stevenson, past seventy	3 00	
		$64 83

1914

Ben Norton, paid in Corinth	$ 3 00	
Geo. Babcock, lame	5 74	
J. W. Bowen, poor	8 69	
C. W. Witham, dead	3 00	
Fred Ellingwood, seventy	3 00	
John Marcho, poor	6 56	
T. R. Clements, not of age	3 00	
		32 99
		$97 82

INCIDENTAL ACCOUNTS

Amount raised by town	$400 00	
Overlay	170 78	
Received from State R. R. and telegraph tax	196 93	
State dog tax refunded	45 27	
E. D. Rowell	5 00	
M. S. Leavitt	5 00	
J. J. Staples, clerk, 1913 dog tax	50 00	
J. J. Staples, clerk, 1914 dog tax	60 00	
State, damage to sheep	18 00	
Received for hunting moths	12 63	
		$963 68

Expended

Henry J. Luce, salary, selectman	$60 00
J. E. Miller, salary, selectman	50 00
F. A. Tribou, salary, selectman	50 00
J. J. Staples, salary, town clerk	20 00
J. J. Dearborn, salary, treasurer	25 00
J. J. Dearborn, postage, 2 years	5 40
Mrs. Lillian Hamm, salary, superintendent	60 00
Alfred M. Hart, collector, 1913	145 50
R. G. & C. H. Barrows, coach harness	30 00
M. J. Sewell, driving hearse	27 00
Elmer Bridgham, hunting moths	3 00
F. A. Tribou, to Geo. Getchell, shingling town house	15 00
F. A. Tribou, hauling shingles	9 80
F. A. Tribou, two road scrapers, road machine cutter and shingle nails	24 30
W. E. Luce, moderator	2 00
Geo. Newcomb, keeping tramp	1 50
Chas. Fipher, hunting moths	26 00
F. A. Tribou, interest on orders	5 40
Furbush Printing Co., town reports	21 00
C. F. Roberts, hunting moths	3 00
L. O. Smith, hunting moths	13 80
W. R. Cobb, hunting moths	10 00
Leon & R. H. Fairbrother, painting Bickford cemetery	30 00
P. E. Severance, paint for same	23 17
Guy Smith, cutter point	5 10
Henry Luce, moth notices and postage for two years	8 56
G. W. Smith, hunting moths	2 25
Fred A. Rogers, ballot clerk	3 50
Fred M. Johnson, care cemetery	3 00
Geo. Cookson, building town fence	3 00
Ben Witham, hunting moths	4 58
Maurice Parsons, ballot clerk	3 50

F. O. Rogers, care cemetery	5 00	
Earl Ward, hunting moths	2 45	
Howard K. Whitcomb, hunting moths	1 35	
William M. Bartlett, care cemetery and Hussey lot	8 50	
C. H. Chapman, blacksmith work	5 00	
J. F. Davis, watering place	1 50	
Roland Parsons, hunting moths	1 00	
E. F. Dillingham, town books	5 39	
G. G. Estabrook's Sons, flags	10 80	
A. J. Luce, watering place	1 50	
Alfred M. Hart, watering place	1 50	
M. S. Leavitt, keeping tramps	7 00	
M. S. Leavitt, care cemetery two years and straightening stones	20 00	
F. W. Luce, keeping tramps	4 00	
Chas. Mudgett, watering place	1 50	
C. M. Conant Co., road machine repairs	60	
Interest on orders Nos. 28 and 269	10 65	
	$782 10	
C. L. Chapman, sheep killed by dogs	22 50	
Chas. Mudgett	7 50	
Merchants Bank, interest	34 52	
On road machine	120 00	
State, dog licenses	66 00	
		1,032 62
Overdrawn		$69 01

Respectfully submitted,

HENRY J. LUCE,
JOHN E. MILLER,
MARK S. LEAVITT,
} Selectmen of Newburg.

ESTIMATE OF THE AMOUNT OF MONEY REQUIRED UNDER THE FOLLOWING ARTICLES

Article	9.	Support common schools	$ 800 00
"	10.	Support of poor	100 00
"	11.	Incidentals	400 00
"	12.	Roads and bridges	1,300 00
"	13.	Repairs on school houses	100 00
"	14.	School books and maps	60 00
"	15.	To pay tuition of pupils attending high schools	50 00
"	16.	Abatements	50 00
"	18-19	State aid highways	1,000 00
"	20.	Maintenance, State aid highways	150 00
"	21.	Maintenance, North road	100 00

ROAD WORK FROM YEAR 1913-14

W. O. Davis	$ 6 60
A. P. Gray	2 85
W. H. Hollis	4 75
F. A. Tribou, (dynamite)	10 94
F. A. Tribou	12 05
R. H. Fairbrother	12 17
P. J. Boyington	18 00
A. L. Smith	8 02
M. S. Porter	12 60
Warren Stevenson	1 80
M. S. Leavitt	4 20
G. W. Smith	45
Harry Stevenson	2 70
E. J. Hiltz	30
A. W. Knowlton	1 00
H. C. Dearborn	3 00
Maurice Parsons	1 20
Frank West	1 50
Ira G. Ryder	20 25

F. W. Simpson	14 55
N. T. Porter	5 76
Charles Fisher	2 40
Rufus Whitcomb	1 50
Percy Porter	2 90
A. A. Cookson	1 85
George L. Tribou	4 75
M. J. Sewell	16 55
A. J. Luce	19 10
W. R. Knight	8 22
Fred Johnston	2 70
Chas. D. Newcomb	75
Charles Toothaker	4 45
Vivien Howes	1 80
Fred A. Howes	4 30
E. L. Seabury	7 40
E. L. Newcomb	11 10
C. F. Mudgett	9 00
M. F. Arnold	6 75
J. W. Bowen	6 00
Benj. Norton	1 05
Guy Kimball	2 63
J. P. Otis	4 00
C. F. Roberts	3 00
L. O. Smith	3 75
L. D. Croxford	9 75
H. H. Maddocks	3 10
Edgar Gatchell	14 25
Thomas Fifield	2 60
John Watson	5 60
M. B. Severance	19 53
Isaiah Croxford	8 32
H. M. Leonard	28 42
Leon Leonard	4 35
A. D. Foster	2 70
Allie Lawrence	3 75
L. H. Staples	5 92
Wilbur Hamlin	1 92

Joseph Anthony	3 00	
William Ryder	3 20	
G. W. Whitcomb	4 20	
Roscoe Pickard	12 55	
C. A. Newcomb	9 65	
Scott Nealley	18 85	
John E. Luce	8 35	
		$440 65

SOUTH ROAD, ROAD WORK, 1914

A. P. Gray, (bridge stringers)	$15 00
Fred A. Tribou, (plank)	20 72
M. J. Sewall, (plank)	6 10
Albert L. Smith	16 65
Elmer E. Grant	48 32
Fremont Grant	14 10
R. H. Fairbrother	12 75
Fred Benson	6 56
William Perkins	13 80
Fred Newcomb	3 00
Henry Maddocks	50 73
A. P. Gray	1 80
Elmer Bridgham	7 50
Percy Porter	3 00
L. O. Smith	3 65
W. R. Cobb	5 55
George Bickford	6 65
Henry J. Luce	21 00
Marion Bartlett	1 70
Ira Ryder	20 16
George Gatchell	4 38
W. B. Goodrich & Sons	21 00
M. B. Severance	196 00
Isaiah Croxford	8 00
Scott Nealley	11 58
E. A. Lawrence	3 75

F. B. Morrell	4 80	
George Cookson	5 95	
Fred Johnston	13 05	
Frank West	5 75	
W. S. Stevenson	4 69	
Axel Jolander	5 60	
Alphonso Porter	13 94	
Wilmot Newcomb	4 10	
Carroll McPheters	5 00	
P. E. Severance	15 77	
Arthur Tolman	8 25	
B. G. Snow	3 15	
Christopher Leonard	13 50	
H. M. Leonard	9 10	
C. D. Simpson	3 00	
D. A. Chapman	3 00	
J. F. Davis	7 15	
A. J. Luce	29 00	
		$678 25

MIDDLE ROAD, ROAD WORK, 1914

P. J. Boyington	$20 48
C. E. Boyington	16 12
Ira G. Ryder	7 00
M. B. Severance	14 00
Walter Mitchell	6 00
A. W. Whitcomb	9 00
Laughton Staples	4 12
Roland Parsons	3 00
W. H. Hollis	14 75
L. W. Simpson	5 03
Warren Stevenson	5 29
F. A. Tribou (plank)	20 25
Fred B. Leavitt	16 50
G. W. Whitcomb	13 85
H. R. Whitcomb	13 60
L. F. Porter	5 55

R. E. McLaughlin	9 00	
P. E. Severance, (road supplies)	10 00	
E. L. Newcomb, (lumber)	2 25	
L. J. Ward	22 40	
William Ryder	2 10	
M. J. Sewall	12 58	
A. W. Knowlton	5 20	
M. S. Leavitt	55 12	
C. H. Whitcomb,(plank)	2 05	
G. W. Smith	60	
Charles Mudgett	16 20	
E. L. Newcomb, (lumber)	15 00	
		$327 04

NORTH ROAD, ROAD WORK, 1914

Percy M. Porter	$ 2 40
L. H. Leavitt	16 00
Guy Kimball	10 30
William Rines	6 90
A. G. Lawrence	11 55
Walter Mitchell	4 50
F. O. Rogers	40 26
Charles Boyington	38 00
Fred Toothaker	15 75
Walter York	3 75
Irving Parsons	1 50
Millard Arnold	1 50
Montford Prescott	75
Ralph Prescott	1 50
Walter Knight	10 50
L. J. Ward	40 25
Amos Inman	1 50
P. J. Boyington	68 99
J. W. Bowen	4 00
N. T. Porter	12 87

Frank Otis	1 50	
Vivien Howes	1 88	
John E. Miller	42 00	
Walter Rogers	22 78	
P. J. Boyington	3 75	
C. A. Staples, (plank)	5 75	
W. R. Knight	1 75	
Emery Curtis	1 00	
Fred Miller	4 50	
Walter Smith	6 34	
		$384 02

WINTERPORT ROAD

Amount appropriated		$100 00

Expended

John Watson	$52 80	
M. B. Severance	14 00	
C. H. Kimball	11 00	
Walter Clements	27 95	
		$105 75

STATE AID HIGHWAYS

Amount appropriated by town	$1,000 00	
Received from State	894 92	
		$1,894 92
Gravel for North road	$100 00	
State highway commission engineering	68 59	
		168 59
		$1,726 33

PERMANENT HIGHWAY, NORTH ROAD

Lester Ward	$55 31	
Charles Toothaker	34 68	
Guy Kimball	30 00	
W. G. Bickford	38 43	
Charles Boyington	30 56	
F. O. Rogers	19 68	
George Rines	27 56	
M. S. Porter	10 50	
Orman Porter	10 50	
Fred Toothaker	24 37	
Emery Curtis	48 37	
Percy Porter	1 50	
Frank Otis	12 00	
William Rines	75	
Warren Page	11 25	
Claude Rogers	15 75	
Fred A. Rogers	30 93	
Allie Lawrence	16 50	
Orin Miller	11 25	
W. O. Davis	75	
P. J. Boyington	5 62	
Irving Parsons	3 75	
W. R. Knight	3 75	
Walter Knight	6 75	
J. E. Miller	30 50	
Walter York	13 12	
S. M. Packard, (gravel)	22 50	
J. E. Miller, (dynamite)	4 60	
		$521 23

57 rds. at a cost of $9.14 per rd.

PERMANENT HIGHWAY, MIDDLE ROAD

William Ryder, (gravel)	$40 00	
Charles Eldridge	24 37	
C. F. Roberts	13 50	
N. T. Porter	3 00	
Fred Cilley	13 50	
Elmer Bridgham	14 25	
Maurice Parsons	40 36	
L. F. Porter	12 75	
William Ryder	10 05	
Manter Bartlett	16 87	
W. H. Dillingham	22 87	
Howard Whitcomb	25 31	
G. W. Whitcomb	44 62	
G. W. Smith	11 25	
G. L. Tribou	27 00	
Ira Ryder	20 62	
E. L. Newcomb	66 62	
J. Anthony	21 37	
M. B. Severance	12 00	
Rufus Whitcomb	9 00	
Clarence Young	10 50	
H. H. Maddocks	12 62	
Maurice Foster	16 87	
Fred Leavitt	7 87	
Percy Porter	2 25	
Mark Leavitt	9 75	
P. E. Severance, (dynamite and cement)	11 26	
Wilbur Hamlin	5 25	
E. L. Newcomb, (damage to drag and plow)	4 00	
Metal culvert	17 28	
		$546 96

97 rds. at a cost of $5.64 per rd.

PEMANENT HIGHWAY, SOUTH ROAD

M. B. Severance	$116 00	
J. F. Davis	28 12	
H. C. Dearborn	15 75	
W. L. & George Rich	41 70	
Bernard Lake	32 40	
B. G. Snow	35 05	
Alphonso Porter	21 75	
Manter & Manley Bartlett	34 12	
Ira & John Ryder	41 63	
Axel Jolander	13 12	
Edwin Lawrence	24 00	
Henry Maddocks	50 00	
Henry Maddocks, (plank)	5 00	
Marion Bartlett	8 00	
Percy Porter	5 25	
Henry J. Luce	9 00	
E. L. Newcomb	5 00	
Fred Cilley	16 50	
Elmer Bridgham	9 00	
William Goodrich & Sons	28 50	
Edgar Babcock	4 50	
George Gatchell	10 60	
Fred Newcomb	8 25	
C. L. Chapman	2 25	
C. L. Chapman, (gravel)	68 00	
P. E. Severance, (cement and dynamite)	24 65	
Metal culvert	25 48	
182 rods at a cost of $3.75 per rod ... 5		$683 62
336 rods of State aid road cost ... 5,540 feet		$1,751 81
Overdrawn		$25 48

1914, 2.01

MAINTENANCE STATE AID ROAD

From the town	$ 75 00	
From the State	264 85	
		$339 85

Expended

L. J. Ward	$12 71	
C. H. Whitcomb	15 21	
Wilbur Hamlin	3 00	
Amos Inman	1 50	
G. L. Tribou	18 00	
C. F. Roberts	3 00	
Chas. Bartlett	6 00	
Maurice Foster	7 50	
Joseph Anthony	7 50	
Fred Cilley	3 00	
L. F. Porter	1 50	
Ira Ryder	3 00	
E. L. Newcomb	17 85	
Geo. Gatchell	5 62	
Clarence Young	1 50	
Edgar Babcock	1 50	
Harold Dillingham	75	
Chas. Boyington	3 75	
	$112 89	
Metal culvert, not used	22 10	
		134 99
Unexpended		$204 86

GRAVEL, NORTH ROAD

Article 18, appropriation	$100 00	
Maintenance	75 00	
		$175 00

Expended

Guy Kimball	$ 3 75	
S. M. Packard, gravel	22 40	
L. H. Leavitt	7 50	
M. S. Porter	15 00	
N. T. Porter	6 00	
P. J. Boyington	15 00	
Chas. Boyington	7 50	
Will Rines	15 00	
Fred Miller	15 00	
Florian Rogers	15 25	
L. J. Ward	7 50	
Ed Gatchell	1 50	
Orman Porter	4 50	
Warren Page	3 00	
Edgar Babcock	6 00	
Earl Ward	3 00	
Orrin Miller	5 25	
Allie Lawrence	3 00	
Will Nety	5 30	
		161 45
Unexpended		$13 55

Report of Treasurer

John J. Dearborn, in account with the town of Newburg, for the fiscal year ending Feb. 20, 1915.

On hand Feb. 17, 1914				$ 94 78
Mar. 13	J. J. Staples, clerk, 1913 dog tax			50 00
May 8	Lillian Hamm, tuition			5 00
April 17	State, dog tax refund			45 27
June 1	Bank, cash loan on note			600 00
July 29	State, pensions refund			36 00
Sept. 14	J. J. Staples, dog tax			50 00
Nov. 16	Bank, cash loan on note			800 00
" 21	State, equalization fund			150 00
" "	State, pensions refund			18 00
Dec. 18	State, free high schools			300 00
" "	State, damage to domestic animals			18 00
1915				
Jan. 16	J. J. Staples, 1914 dog tax			10 00
" 20	State, school and mill fund			572 48
" "	State, common school fund			484 25
" "	State, R. R. & tel. tax refund			196 93
Feb. 1	State, pensions refund			54 00
" 13	E. D. Rowell, lot in Bickford yard			5 00
" 18	M. S. Leavitt, lot in Bickford yard			5 00
Frank B. Morrell, col. 1914 taxes				5,174 23
1914				
July 9		$879 78		
Oct. 6		576 40		
Nov. 12		560 62		
" 28		300 00		
Dec. 9		310 84		
" 23		738 06		

1915		
Jan. 9	..... 901 67	
" 29	..... 363 60	
Feb. 15	..... 422 14	
" 18	..... 121 12	
Alfred M. Hart, col. 1913 taxes		691 25
1914		
April 17	..... $391 07	
June 24	..... 155 63	
1915		
Feb. 18	..... 144 55	

Total received	$9,360 19
Paid orders of the selectmen	9,278 14
Cash on hand Feb. 20, 1915	$82 05

J. J. DEARBORN,
Treasurer.

Report of Auditor

February 20, 1915.

I have carefully examined all the accounts of your treasurer and find them true and correct and to compare in every particular with the accounts of your board of selectmen.

WALTER E. LUCE,

Auditor.

Report of Town Clerk

J. J. Staples, Town Clerk, year 1914-15

DEATHS RECORDED IN NEWBURG FOR YEAR

Date	Name	Yrs.	Mos.	Days
Jan. 23	Lucinda Dow	86	6	
Feb. 28	Frank E. Walker	48	11	8
Mar. 31	Lizzie E. Morrill	58	3	
April 28	Warren Lincoln Rich	77		28
May 17	Chloe J. Packard	82	1	26
Sept. 24	Franklin Prescott	71	4	16
" 30	Eliza J. Cooper	81	5	23
Nov. 29	Richard S. Brown	76	4	17
Dec. 1	Ann H. Cookson	68	9	8

Total number of births, 13

MARRIAGES RECORDED IN NEWBURG FOR THE YEAR 1914

Date	Names
Jan. 1	Charles C. Eldridge of Hampden and Hazel M. Ward of Newburg.
Jan. 14	Allie M. Parsons and Don L. Fifield both of Newburg.
Mar. 28	Arthur J. Luce of Newburg and Lucy M. Tasker of Winterport.
Apr. 15	Herbert Ray Porter of Newburg and Lottie Mae Vinol of Hampden.

Date	
May 6	Allen Llewellyn Arnold and Annie A. Davis both of Newburg.
June 1	Allie Pinkham and Nellie M. Toothaker both of Newburg.
June 2	Joseph Johnson Garland of Newburg and Iva E. Marsh of Bangor
June 6	Jessie B. Tolman and Grace Cookson both of Newburg.
June 21	Leroy L. Chadburn of Newburg and Hattie Luce of Readfield.
June 10	Henry Roy Bartlett of Newburg and Laura Addie Chase of Dixmont
Sept. 17	Roy L. Getchell and Marion J. Fifield both of Newburg.
Nov. 18	James W. Dunivan of Dixmont and Viola Myrtle Leavitt of Newburg.
Dec. 24	Theodore E. Dodge and Emma S. Leonard both of Newburg.

DOG TAX FOR YEAR 1914

54 dogs licensed at $1.15	$62 10	
1 female licensed at $5.15	5 15	
		$67 25
Town clerk's fees for 55 dogs at $.15		8 25
Amount paid J. J. Dearborn, treasurer		$59 00

Respectfully submitted,

J. J. STAPLES, Town Clerk.

Superintendent of Schools' Report

To the citizens of the town of Newburg:

I present my report as superintendent of schools for the past year.

Number of pupils in town, April 1, 1914, 162

SCHOOL FUND

Town appropriation	$800 00	
State common school fund	484 25	
State mill fund	572 48	
State equalization fund	125 00	
Overdrawn in 1913	107 36	
Available for 1914		$1,874 37

Expenditures

Teachers	$1,373 10	
Janitor	2 00	
Conveyance	432 00	
Fuel	66 50	
		1,873 60
Unexpended		$ 77

SALARIES OF TEACHERS

Spring Term

Mrs. Lula Whitcomb	$64 00	
Miss Helena Green	64 00	
Miss Nellie O'Neil	56 00	
Mrs. Florence Chadbourne	56 00	
Mrs. Angie Arnold	56 00	
Mr. Merton Bridgham	56 00	
Miss M. Evelyn Fall	56 00	
		$408 00

Fall Term

Mrs. Florence Fairbrother	$70 00	
Miss Frances Patterson	70 00	
Miss Helena Green	80 00	
Mrs. Lula Whitcomb	80 00	
Miss M. Evelyn Fall	70 00	
Miss Mazie McLaughlin	70 00	
Miss Willa Miller	70 00	
		$510 00

Winter Term

Mrs. Florence Fairbrother	$63 00	
Miss Frances Patterson	56 00	
Miss M. Evelyn Fall	72 00	
Miss Mazie McLaughlin	61 60	
Mrs. Angie Arnold	63 00	
Mrs. Lula Whitcomb	72 00	
Mrs. Louvie Dillingham	67 50	
		$455 10

JANITOR

Merton Bridgham		$ 2 00

CONVEYANCE

Albert Smith, 27 weeks	$135 00	
John Watson, 26 weeks	130 00	
William Ryder, 18 weeks	108 00	
Charles Young, 9 weeks	54 00	
		$427 00

FUEL

Lloyd Dearborn, kindling	$ 1 00	
O. H. Fall, 1 cd. wood	5 00	
Jerry Watson, work on wood	75	
C. L. Chapman, wood	35 00	
Henry Maddocks, wood	3 50	
Joseph Anthony, wood	21 25	
		$66 50

TEXT-BOOKS

Unexpended from 1913	$10 46	
Amount raised by the town	50 00	
Available for 1914		$60 46
Diplomas	$ 6 00	
D. C. Heath	3 16	
Edward E. Babb & Co.	7 10	
American Book Co.	3 56	
Ginn & Co.	14 86	
Lillian Hamm, books, freight, postage, etc.	5 00	
		39 58
Unexpended		$20 88
Available from the equalization fund for maps		25 00

GILMORE SCHOOL

Spring term, 8 wks., $7.00 per wk., No. attending, 12, avg., 10.59.
Fall term, 10 wks., $7.00 per wk., No. attending, 11, avg., 8+.
Winter term, 9 wks., $7.00 per wk. No. attending, 11, avg., 8+.

The spring term was taught by Mr. Merton Bridgham, with good success.

The fall and winter terms were taught by Mrs. Florence Fairbrother good progress was made by those attending school.

CHAPMAN SCHOOL

Spring term, 8 wks., $7.00 per wk., No. attending, 15, avg., 14.
Fall term, 10 wks., $7.00 per wk., No. attending, 15, avg., 12+.
Winter term, 8 wks., $7.00, per wk., No. attending, 16, avg., 14.

The spring term was taught by Mrs. Florence Chadbourne, with good results.

The fall and winter terms were under the instruction of Miss Frances Patterson of Hampden. At each visit, good interest was apparent.

WARD SCHOOL

Spring term, 8 wks., $8.00 per wk., No. attending, 19, avg., 18.
Fall term, 10 wks., $8.00 per wk., No. attending, 19, avg., 18.
Winter term, 9 wks., $8.00 per wk., No. attending, 17, avg., 16.

The spring, fall and winter terms were taught by Mrs. Lula Whitcomb, Mrs. Whitcomb's reputation as a teacher is too well established to need any comment from us.

MILLER SCHOOL

Spring term, 8 wks, $7.00 per wk., No. attending, 11, avg., 10.
Fall term, 10 wks., $7.00 per wk., No. attending, 12, avg., 10.
Winter term, 9 wks., $8.00 per wk., No. attending, 10, avg., 9.72.

The spring term was taught by Miss Nellie O'Neil of Carmel, we think Miss O'Neil tried to make this term a success.

Fall term by Miss Willa Miller, this was Miss Miller's first experience at teaching.

Winter term by Miss M. Evelyn Fall, we like her method of teaching and consider this a profitable term.

HILL SCHOOL

Spring term, 8 wks., $7.00 per wk., No. attending, 11, avg., 8.
Fall term, 10 wks., $7.00 per wk., No. attending, 11, avg., 10.
Winter term, 8 4-5 wks., $7.00 per wk., No. attending, 13, avg., 11.

The spring term was taught by Miss M. Evelyn Fall, what we said of Miss Fall in the Miller school we can say in this.

Fall and winter terms by Miss Mazie McLaughlin, of Hampden, this was Miss McLaughlin's first attempt at teaching, she seems perfectly at home in the school room and we pronounce her school a success.

ARNOLD SCHOOL

Spring term, 8 wks., $7.00 per wk., No. attending, 11, avg., 8.9.
Fall term, 10 wks., $7.00, per wk., No. attending, 10, avg., 7.
Winter term, 9 wks.,$7.00 per wk., No. attending, 11, avg., 10.

The spring and winter terms taught by Mrs. Angie Arnold with good success.

Fall term by Miss M. Evelyn Fall, what has been said of Miss Fall in other schools we can repeat in this one.

KNOWLTON SCHOOL

Spring term, 8 wks., $8.00 per wk., No. attending, 12, avg., 11.1.
Fall term, 10 wks., $8.00 per wk., No. attending, 15, avg., 14.
Winter term, 9 wks., $7.50 per wk., No. attending, 14, avg., 12.18.

The spring and fall terms taught by Miss Helena Green with good results.

Winter term by Mrs. Louvie Dillingham, faithful work was done.

FREE HIGH SCHOOL

Received from the State for the year ending July 1, 1914	$300 00	
Received for tuition of Albion Tasker	5 00	
Raised by the town	160 00	
Paid W. H. Edminster, teaching spring term	150 00	
Paid W. H. Edminster, janitor, 1913-14	10 00	
Overdrawn, 1913	38 50	
Available for secondary school tuition, 1914		$66 50

SECONDARY SCHOOL TUITION

Paid S. M. Packard for Hampden Academy, 1911-12-13	$65 00	
Paid Guy Kimball for Hampden Academy, fall term, 1913	5 00	
Paid Hampden Academy, 1914	40 00	
		110 00
Overdrawn		$43 50
Due from the State, for 1911-12-13-14		$73 33

UNPAID TUITION BILLS, RENDERED TO DATE

Due Hampden Academy, fall term, 1914	$30 00

EXPLANATION

The equalization fund must be expended as suggested by the State superintendent, that is $125.00 to be used to lengthen the school year and $25.00 for maps. Each school has had 27 weeks with the exception of the Chapman school which had 26 weeks, closing one week before the others on account of sickness, the week must be added to the spring term. This fund should make the school year 28 weeks. In closing I would say: Parent do you do your duty? Do you visit your schools? One will say, "Oh, I can tell about a school by going by." Yes, but I think you could tell a great deal more by going in and seeing the every day work for an hour.

Respectfully submitted,

MRS. LILLIAN HAMM,

Supt. of Schools.

S. S. Committee

M. B. SEVERANCE O. H. FALL M. J. SEWELL

Henry J. Luce First Selectmen
Town Agent.

ANNUAL REPORT

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OF THE

Town of Newburg

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FOR THE YEAR

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ANNUAL REPORT

OF THE

TOWN OF NEWBURG

1916

Newburg was Incorporated March 13, 1819

Population 1910, 694

Permanent Highway, 10 miles

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Town Officers

Moderator

W. E. LUCE

Town Clerk

J. J. STAPLES

Selectmen, Assessors and Overseers of Poor

HENRY J. LUCE JOHN E. MILLER MARK S. LEAVITT

Town Agent

HENRY J. LUCE

Treasurer

H. C. DEARBORN

Tax Collector and Constable

A. L. TOLMAN

Auditor

W. E. LUCE

School Committee

OSCAR H. FALL	Term expires, 1916
MELVIN J. SEWELL	Term expires, 1917
E. A. LAWRENCE	Term expires, 1918

Superintendent

H. C. DEARBORN

Warrant

State of Maine *Penobscot ss.*

To *A. L. Tolman*, a constable of the town of Newburg in said County,

Greeting:

In the name of the State of Maine, you are hereby required to notify and warn the inhabitants of said town of Newburg, qualified by law to vote in town affairs, to assemble at the town house in said town of Newburg, on Monday, the thirteenth day of March, 1916, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, to act on the following articles, to wit:

Art. 1. To choose a moderator to preside at said meeting.

Art. 2. To choose a clerk for the ensuing year.

Art. 3. To hear the report of town officers and act thereon.

Art. 4. To choose selectmen, assessors and overseers of the poor for the ensuing year.

Art. 5. To choose one member of the school committee for three years.

Art. 6. To choose a town treasurer for the ensuing year.

Art. 7. To choose a collector of taxes and agree what per cent to pay him for collecting the same and fix date of settlement.

Art. 8. To choose a town auditor and fire warden and all other necessary town officers for the ensuing year.

Art. 9. To raise money for the support of common schools.

Art. 10. To raise money for the support of the poor.

Art. 11. To raise money for incidental expenses.

Art. 12. To raise money for roads and bridges.

Art. 13. To raise money for repairs on school houses.

Art. 14. To raise money for school books.

Art. 15. To raise money to pay tuition of pupils attending high schools.

Art. 16. To raise money for abatements.

Art. 17. To see if the town will vote "yes" or "no" on the question of appropriating and raising money necessary to entitle the town to State aid as provided in section 20 of chapter 130 of the Public Laws of 1913.

Art. 18. To see if the town will appropriate and raise the sum of $533.00 for the improvement of the section of State aid road as outlined in the report of the State Highway Commission, in addition to the amounts regularly raised for the care of ways, highways and bridges; the above amount being the maximum amount which the town is allowed to raise under the provisions of section 19 of chapter 130 of the Public Laws of 1913.

Art. 19. To see if the town will vote to raise money in addition to the $533.00 raised under article 18, for State aid highways.

Art. 20. To see whether the town will vote to raise money and what sum for the maintenance of State aid highways during the ensuing year, within the limits of the town under the provisions of section 9 of chapter 130 of the Public Laws of 1913.

Art. 21. To determine the number of road commissioners the town shall have.

Art. 22. To see if the town will vote to authorize the selectmen to make a temporary loan in anticipation of taxes for 1916.

Art. 23. To see if the town will vote to accept from the estate of Frank E. Walker the sum of one hundred dollars, the same to be held in trust, the annual income therefrom to be expended for the care and improvement of the Frank E. Walker lot and monument thereon in Chapman cemetery in said town.

Art. 24. To see if the town will vote to authorize its superintending school committee to join with either or any of the following towns, to wit, Carmel, Hampden, or other such town or towns as it may deem expedient, for the purpose of employing a superintendent of schools in accordance with the provisions of sections 40 to 45 inclusive, of chapter 15 of the Revised Statutes.

Art. 25. To see what sum the town will vote to raise and appropriate for the salary of superintendent of schools for the ensuing year.

Art. 26. To see if the town will vote to discontinue the road leading from the Thurlough road to the North road.

Given under our hands at Newburg, Maine, this third day of March, 1916.

HENRY J. LUCE,
JOHN E. MILLER,
MARK S. LEAVITT,
} Selectmen of Newburg

Report of Assessors

INVENTORY OF ALL ESTATES

Real estate, resident	$176,375 00	
Real estate, non-resident	10,555 00	
Personal estate, resident	67,072 00	
Personal estate, non-resident	550 00	
		$254,552 00

LIVE STOCK

	No.	Avg. Val.	Total Val.	
Horses	295	$69 00	$20,425 00	
Colts, 3 to 4 years old	2	62 00	125 00	
Colts, 2 to 3 years old	12	52 00	630 00	
Colts under 2 years old	12	31 00	375 00	
Cows	635	26 00	17,050 00	
Oxen	21	44 00	925 00	
Three year old	63	22 00	1,420 00	
Two year olds	115	17 00	2,050 00	
One year old	153	9 00	1,464 00	
Sheep	550	3 00	1,655 00	
Swine	66	7 00	503 00	
				$46,622 00

OTHER PERSONAL PROPERTY

Bank stock, 78 shares	$7,800 00	
Money at interest	3,000 00	
Stock in trade	5,450 00	
Automobiles, 18	2,400 00	
Musical instruments, 24	2,050 00	
Machinery	300 00	
		21,000 00
		$67,622 00

Number of polls taxed, 181.
Number of polls not taxed, 24.
Tax rate, .022.

Tax on $254,552 at .022	$5,600 14	
Tax on 181 polls at $3.00	543 00	
		$6,143 14

APPROPRIATIONS

State tax	$1,413 88	
County tax	367 13	
Support of common schools	1,000 00	
Support of poor	75 00	
Incidental expenses	400 00	
Repairs on school houses	100 00	
Roads and bridges	1,300 00	
Text-books	60 00	
Tuition	50 00	
State aid highways	1,000 00	
Maintenance of State aid highways	150 00	
Permanent highway, North road	100 00	
Abatements	50 00	
Overlay	77 13	
		$6,143 14

Report of Selectmen

Cash on hand Feb. 20, 1915	$ 82 05	
Interest due town, Hussey fund	34 45	
State high school tuition	134 81	
State damage to sheep	48 00	
Bank cash loan, June 18, 1915	1,000 00	
J. J. Staples, dog tax, 1915	32 00	
J. J. Staples, dog tax, 1913	7 00	
A. L. Tolman, dog tax, 1915	37 00	
John Stevenson Trust fund	100 00	
Interest on Smith Trust fund	4 04	
State pensions refunded	252 00	
Highway department, maintenance account	204 71	
State dog tax refund	40 29	
State R. R. and Tel. tax	202 72	
State common schools	490 39	
State school mill fund	566 55	
State highway department for State roads	499 90	
F. B. Morrill and estate on 1914 taxes	721 88	
A. L. Tolman, 1915 taxes	5,033 08	
		$9,490 87

PAID OUT DURING YEAR BY ORDERS

Highways and bridges	$1,425 30
State roads, maintenance, 1915	337 15
State treasurer, one-half maintenance, 1914	67 48
State roads	1,867 16
State tax	1,413 88
County tax	367 13
State pensions	252 00

Interest	80 00	
Sheep killed by dogs	54 00	
Dog licenses	64 00	
On road machine	100 00	
Incidentals	584 05	
High school tuition	142 22	
Teachers' salaries	1,622 75	
Transportation	384 00	
Fuel	81 00	
School house repairs	131 81	
Text-books	98 30	
Total		$9,072 23
Total amount of orders drawn	$9,072 23	
Outstanding orders of 1915-16	274 15	
Amount of 1915 orders cashed by treas.		$8,798 08
Amount of 1914 orders cashed by treasurer	$313 58	
Amount of 1913 orders cashed by treasurer	20 00	
Amount of 1910 orders cashed by treasurer	1 05	
Savings bank, Stevenson fund	100 00	
		434 63
Total amount of orders cashed by treasurer		$9,232 71

ASSETS

Cash in treasury	$ 258 16	
Due from collector, 1915 taxes	1,110 06	
Due from Alfred M. Hart, dog licenses, 1912	18 00	
Due from Alfred M. Hart, dog licenses, 1913	2 00	
State dog licenses refund, (about)	45 00	
Road machines supplies	10 50	
Three inch planks	31 50	
Due from State, damage to sheep	18 00	
		$1,488 22

LIABILITIES

Outstanding order, 1913	$ 42 40	
Outstanding orders, 1916	274 15	
Merchant's Bank loan	1,500 00	
Salaries: Henry J. Luce	60 00	
J. E. Miller	50 00	
M. S. Leavitt	50 00	
H. C. Dearborn, treasurer	25 00	
H. C. Dearborn, superintendent	60 00	
J. J. Staples, clerk	20 00	
A. L. Tolman, collector, 1915	122 86	
Town of Plymouth, George Lowell's wife	22 00	
Due common school account	42 46	
Stearns Lumber Co., 2100 feet plank	43 46	
Other bills	25 00	
		2,337 33
Liabilities in excess of resources		$849 11

SCHOOL REPORT

Amount raised by vote of town	$1,000 00	
State school, mill fund	566 55	
State common school fund	490 39	
Unexpended balance 1915	73 27	
		$2,130 21
Laurie Dillingham, winter term, 1915		67 50
Available		$2,062 71
Paid teachers	$1,555 25	
Transportation	384 00	
Fuel	81 00	
		2,020 25
Unexpended		$42 46

FREE HIGH SCHOOL

Unexpended from previous years	$ 41 16	
Received from State	134 81	
Raised by town	50 00	
Available		$225 97
Tuition, town of Monroe	$ 17 22	
Tuition, Bangor	10 00	
Hampden Academy	115 00	
Expended		142 22
Unexpended		$ 83 75

TEXT-BOOKS

Unexpended from 1914	$ 20 78	
Raised by town	60 00	
State equalization fund, maps	25 00	
Available		$ 105 78
Expended		98 80
Unexpended		$ 6 98

SCHOOL HOUSE REPAIRS

Raised by town		$100 00
E. A. Lawrence	$ 3 00	
H. Baker	9 50	
Mel Young	10 50	
E. A. Lawrence	23 27	
O. H. Fall	2 00	
Roscoe Gould	5 50	

Sadie Porter	12 50	
Lillian Hamm	8 64	
Mrs. E. J. Hiltz	4 00	
J. R. Robinson	1 67	
Myra Severance	6 00	
P. E. Severance	15 32	
Bangor Brick Co.	7 80	
M. J. Sewell	22 11	
Expended		131 81
Overdrawn		$31 81

HIGHWAY ACCOUNT

Amount raised for roads and bridges	$1,300 00	
Amount raised for North road	100 00	
Amount raised for maintenance	150 00	
Amount raised for State aid highways	1,000 00	
Amount received from State, for State aid highways	499 10	
Amount received from State for maintenance	204 71	
Available		$3,253 81

Expended

Highways and bridges	$1,425 30	
State aid highways, maintenance, 1915	337 15	
State treasurer, one-half maintenance, 1914	67 48	
State aid highways	1,867 16	
		3,697 09
Overdrawn		$ 443 28
Maintenance, bill from last year		67 48
Overdrawn, 1915		$374 80

PAUPER ACCOUNT

Amount raised by town	$ 75 00
Due town of Plymouth on account of Mrs. George Lowell	22 00

INCIDENTAL ACCOUNTS

Amount raised by town	$400 00	
Overlay	77 13	
Received from State R. R. and telegraph tax	202 72	
State dog tax refunded	40 29	
J. J. Staples, clerk, 1913 dog tax	7 00	
J. J. Staples, clerk, 1915 dog tax	32 00	
A. L. Tolman, 1915 dog tax	37 00	
State, damage to sheep	48 00	
Interest, Hussey Trust Fund	34 45	
Interest, Smith Trust Fund	4 04	
		$882 63

Expended

Lillian Hamm, salary, superintendent	$ 60 00
J. J. Staples, salary, town clerk	20 00
Newell White, order book	50
J. J. Dearborn, salary, treasurer	25 00
J. J. Dearborn, postage and telephone	3 00
G. G. Estabrooks' Sons, flags	10 80
J. E. Miller, salary, selectman	50 00
F. B. Morrell, collecting 1914 taxes	117 92
F. B. Morrell, collecting dog licenses	6 00
F. B. Morrell, posting notices	4 50
M. S. Leavitt, lumber for cement forms	6 00
Henry J. Luce, salary, selectman	60 00
William Ryder, janitor, town house	2 00

C. M. Conant, road machine repairs	10 35	
M. B. Severance, lumber for poles	1 50	
F. M. Johnston, care Rigby cemetery	3 50	
B. A. Witham, hunting moths	6 00	
W. E. Luce, moderator and auditor	4 00	
Addison Cookson, care cemetery	3 50	
Alfred M. Hart, watering place	1 50	
M. C. R. Downes, care cemetery, Hussey and Stevenson lots	11 00	
J. F. Davis, watering place	1 50	
H. B. Stevenson, hunting moths	3 00	
A. J. Luce, watering place	1 50	
M. J. Sewall, driving hearse	42 00	
State treas. balance on 1914 dog taxes	5 00	
The T. W. Burr Ptg. Co., town reports and moth notices	43 75	
F. O. Rogers, care cemetery	5 00	
Henry J. Luce, incidental and postage	10 60	
M. S. Leavitt, salary, selectman	50 00	
M. S. Leavitt, keeping tramps	4 00	
M. S. Leavitt, care Knowlton cemetery	5 00	
Clifton Chapman, blacksmith work	5 63	
		$584 05
C. M. Conant, balance on road machine		100 00
Interest, Merchant's Bank and on orders		80 00
Mrs. Irving Parsons, sheep killed by dogs		36 00
J. E. Miller, sheep killed by dogs		18 00
State, dog licenses		64 00
		$882 05
Unexpended		$ 58

Estimate of the amount of money required under the following articles:

Article 9.	Support of common schools	$1,100 00
Article 10.	Support of poor	100 00
Article 11.	Incidentals	400 00
Article 12.	Roads and bridges, minimum amount required by State	1,550 00
Article 13.	Repairs on school houses	100 00
Article 14.	School books	100 00
Article 15.	To pay tuition of pupils attending high school	75 00
Article 16.	Abatements	50 00
Article 18.	State aid highways	533 00
Article 20.	Maintenance State aid highways	200 00

TRUST FUNDS FOR CARE OF CEMETERY

J. F. Hussey	$100 00
John Stevenson	100 00
Jefferson Smith	50 00

Respectfully submitted,

HENRY J. LUCE,
JOHN E. MILLER,
MARK S. LEAVITT,
} Selectmen of Newburg.

STATE AID HIGHWAYS

Amount appropriated by town	$1,000 00	
Received from State	533 00	
		$1,533 00
Metal culvert from 1914		22 10
		$1,555 10
Elmer Smith, inspector		33 10
		$1,522 00

PERMANENT HIGHWAY, SOUTH ROAD

Geo. Gatchell	$ 6 00
Irving McPheters	4 50
C. F. Roberts	1 50
Fred Cilley	22 50
Elmer Bridgham	2 25
E. L. Newcomb	26 00
John Watson	67 50
R. G. Newcomb	15 00
Frank Davis	37 13
Fred Tribou	9 37
L. J. Ward	9 37
Roscoe Gould	4 50
Ira Ryder	13 50
Henry Bartlett	9 75
B. G. Snow	11 25
Walter Mitchell	3 75
C. A. Newcomb	15 00
M. B. Severance	132 28
Percy Kimball	6 00
Geo. Rush	30 00
Manter Bartlett	25 13

E. A. Lawrence	18 00	
H. J. Luce	18 00	
William Goodrich	27 00	
Merrill Goodrich	27 00	
Herbert Lewis	20 00	
William H. Estey	4 50	
		$566 78
C. L. Chapman, gravel		70 00
P. E. Severance, dynamite		17 15
P. E. Severance, cement		14 18
Three 16 foot metal culverts at $22.10		66 30
		$734 41

3,500 feet at a cost of 21 cents a foot.

PERMANENT HIGHWAY, NORTH ROAD

J. E. Miller	$ 38 50
Orrin Miller	3 75
Chas. Eldridge	22 75
Erving Parsons	21 00
A. G. Lawrence	2 63
Chas. Toothaker	33 37
Ed. Gatchell	23 25
Vivian Haines	16 50
L. J. Ward	38 37
Chas. Boyington	38 37
Roy Gatchell	10 50
Thomas Fifield	15 00
Geo. Curtis	18 75
F. O. Rogers	26 87
Harold Dillingham	18 75

Milton Porter	25 50	
N. T. Porter	18 75	
Geo. Knight	15 00	
Percy Porter	7 50	
W. O. Davis	15 00	
Eulie Bickford	11 25	
Fred Rogers	6 00	
Claude Rogers	7 50	
P. J. Boyington	43 50	
		$478 36
Claude Rogers, gravel		35 40
J. E. Miller, dynamite		9 75
		$523 51

2,000 feet at a cost of 26 cents a foot.

PERMANENT HIGHWAY, MIDDLE ROAD

L. J. Ward	$ 18 75
H. C. Dillingham	33 75
Manley Bartlett	8 25
Geo. Tribou	22 50
C. F. Roberts	10 50
Ralph Newcomb	22 50
Chas. Lake	22 50
Fred Cilley	10 50
Elmer Bridgham	7 50
L. F. Porter	6 75
N. F. Porter	18 00
Clarence Young	12 75
Ira Ryder	24 00
Howard Whitcomb	40 50

Geo. Smith	12 50	
Arthur Smith	15 75	
Rufus Whitcomb	2 00	
Roland Parsons	9 00	
Fred Leavitt	13 12	
R. E. McLaughlin	4 05	
F. C. Grant	4 50	
J. S. Anthony	18 75	
Maurice Parsons	13 87	
Maurice Foster	13 87	
A. W. Knowlton	2 00	
M. B. Severance	3 00	
Raymond Sidlinker	12 00	
M. S. Leavitt	57 50	
Geo. Whitcomb	40 50	
		$481 16
M. S. Leavitt		35 00
P. E. Severance, dynamite and cement		28 99
Two culverts, one 30 feet and one 24 feet		86 19
		$631 34

1,570 feet at a cost of 40 cents a foot.

7,070 feet of State aid highway cost	$1,889 26
Overdrawn	$367 26

MAINTENANCE OF STATE AID HIGHWAYS

Amount appropriated by town	$150 00	
Received from State	204 71	
		$354 71

Expended

STATE AID HIGHWAY NO. 2 OR MIDDLE ROAD

L. J. Ward	$ 32 62	
L. J. Ward, plank	10 56	
W. H. Dillingham	21 00	
Geo. L. Tribou	18 37	
Maurice Foster	7 50	
E. L. Seabury	9 38	
F. A. Tribou	16 13	
Maurice Parsons	13 12	
Chas. Boyington	11 25	
Ralph Newcomb	18 37	
Chas. Fisher	3 00	
C. H. Whitcomb	13 12	
Frank Washburn	5 25	
Wilbur Hamlin	8 25	
Benj. Norton	5 25	
C. F. Roberts	13 86	
Fred Cilley	5 25	
Chas. Bartlett	8 25	
Geo. Gatchell	1 50	
Roscoe Gould	5 25	
N. T. Porter	10 50	
Elmer Bridgham	5 25	
E. L. Newcomb	8 00	
Ira Ryder	4 50	
Amos Inman	6 75	
Joseph Anthony	3 75	
M. S. Leavitt	3 75	
		$269 78

Approximately 2,000 feet graveled, 13.4 cents per foot.

STATE AID HIGHWAY NO. 3 OR SOUTH ROAD

B. G. Snow	$ 8 63	
Axel Jolander, gravel	10 00	
J. F. Davis	6 38	
William and Merrill Goodrich	3 00	
Geo. Rich	7 88	
M. B. Severance	11 25	
Manter Bartlett	5 25	
Axel Jolander	3 75	
Henry Luce	6 38	
E. A. Lawrence	1 50	
Percy Kimball	1 50	
Alphonzo Porter	1 85	
		67 37
		$337 15
Unexpended		$17 56

700 feet, graveled at .096 cents per foot.

SECTION PERMANENT HIGHWAY, NORTH ROAD

Amount appropriated	$100 00

Expended

L. J. Ward	$ 7 50
Chas. Boyington	7 50
M. S. Porter	10 50
Chas. Toothaker	7 50
P. J. Boyington	7 50
Fred Miller	7 50

F. O. Rogers	7 50	
Lewis Loring	10 50	
Orirn Miller	3 00	
Emery Curtis	5 25	
Geo. Rines	7 50	
W. R. Knight	10 50	
S. M. Packard	18 00	
J. E. Miller	4 00	
		$114 25
Road machine work		32 00
		$146 25

1,320 feet at a cost of 11 cents a foot.

Total amount of Permanent road complete, 8,390 feet.

ROADS AND BRIDGES

Amount raised by town $1,300 00

Expended

SOUTH ROAD

1914 work	H. W. Nealey	$ 3 00
" "	J. J. Dearborn	5 00
" "	Elmer Grant	7 67
	C. A. Newcomb, (plank)	15 40
	F. M. Benson	9 65
	S. W. Stevenson	13 80
	E. L. Newcomb	14 00
	Fred Cilley	6 00
	Axel Jolander, (gravel)	5 00
	Axel Jolander	5 65
	Axel Jolander, (cutting bushes)	17 25

	A. C. Benson	42 00	
	George Rich, (stringers)	2 50	
	George Rich	8 63	
	William and Merrill Goodrich	6 00	
	Scott Nealey	25 00	
	Walter Clements	10 50	
	Marion Bartlett	75	
	H. J. Luce	22 75	
	Frank West	8 18	
	M. B. Severance	119 75	
	F. M. Johnston, (gravel)	7 50	
	William Estey	1 50	
	Walter Smith	5 85	
	John Watson	51 35	
	John Watson, (gravel)	2 85	
	John Watson, (plank)	17 47	
	Percy Kimball	3 75	
	Henry Bartlett, (plank)	6 10	
	Henry Bartlett	2 00	
	Roy Chadbourne	15 22	
	B. G. Snow	10 00	
	William Perkins	75	
	Henry Leonard	7 87	
	J. F. Davis	20 52	
	Wilmot Newcomb	2 50	
	Colbie Bartlett, gravel	3 00	
	A. J. Luce	4 10	
1914 work.	Geo. Chapman	3 00	
	E. A. Lawrence	5 10	
			$518 91

NORTH ROAD

C. A. Newcomb, (plank)	$14 05	
Charles Boyington	40 30	
M. S. Porter	3 70	
L. J. Ward	46 37	
P. J. Boyington	79 50	
Charles Toothaker	34 50	
Walter Knight	17 00	
N. T. Porter	14 25	
Emery Curtis	6 00	
Oscar Fall	3 50	
Ralph Prescott	2 62	
Lewis Loring	6 25	
A. G. Lawrence	21 37	
J. E. Milller	42 25	
J. E. Miller, (dynamite)	9 00	
L. J. Ward	6 55	
W. R. Knight	10 30	
William Newman	10 12	
George Getchell	7 00	
George Rines	21 60	
Orrin Miller	5 27	
Thomas Fifield	4 00	
Guy Kimball	5 55	
Fred Toothaker	7 75	
F. O. Rogers	15 42	
Roland Parsons	6 00	
Gerald Butler	75	
Fred Miller	9 42	
O. H. Fall	5 00	
		455 34

MIDDLE ROAD

S. W. Stevenson	$ 8 17	
C. F. Roberts	10 40	
Chas. Fisher	6 75	
Chas. Boyington	7 00	
Roscoe Gould	1 50	
Lloyd Simpson	13 87	
A. W. Whitcomb	19 35	
Walter Mitchell	2 25	
M. B. Severance	69 00	
F. A. Tribou	5 62	
Chas. Bartlett	5 25	
N. T. Porter	5 00	
C. H. Whitcomb, plank	5 90	
F. C. Grant	11 70	
Wilbur Hamlin	5 75	
Fred B. Leavitt	8 15	
Maurice Foster	1 88	
H. C. Dillingham	5 25	
G. W. Whitcomb	16 35	
W. H. Hollis	2 00	
M. J. Sewell	2 85	
R. E. McLaughlin	60	
M. S. Leavitt	41 25	
Arthur Smith	14 63	
Ada Thurlough	2 70	
G. L. Tribou	24 75	
A. W. Knowlton	5 18	
M. S. Leavitt, dynamite	7 50	
		317 35
		$1,291 60

Report of Treasurer

Hall C. Dearborn, treasurer, in account with the town of Newburg, for the fiscal year ending March 3, 1916.

Received from all sources:—

Feb.	20,	1915	Cash on hand	$ 82 05
Mar.	15,	"	Penobscot Savings Bank, interest on Hussey fund	30 93
Mar.	20,	"	State, high school	30 00
Apr.	21,	"	State, high school	20 00
Apr.	21,	"	State, high school	23 33
May	5,	"	State damage, domestic animals	12 00
June	18,	"	Bank, cash loan	1,000 00
July	28,	"	J. J. Staples, dog tax	30 00
Sept.	20,	"	John Stevenson, burial lot	
Sept.	20,	"	fund, L. P. Toothaker, administrator	100 00
Oct.	30,	"	Savings Bank interest on Hussey lot fund	3 52
Oct.	30,	"	Savings Bank, interest on Smith Fund	4 04
Nov.	27,	"	State pensions refund	66 00
Nov.	29,	"	State damage domestic animals	36 00
Dec.	28,	"	State highway department	204 71
Dec.	30,	"	State dog tax refund	40 29
Dec.	30,	"	State R. R. and Tel. tax	202 72
Dec.	30,	"	State common schools	490 39

Dec.	30,	1915	State school mill fund.....	566 55	
Jan.	3,	1916	State high school..... ...	61 48	
Jan.	26,	"	State highway department	499 90	
Jan.	26,	"	State pensions refund.....	162 00	
Feb.	16,	"	J. J. Staples, dog tax, 1913	7 00	
Feb.	16,	"	J. J. Staples, dog tax, 1915	2 00	
Feb.	22,	"	A. L. Tolman, dog tax, 1915	37 00	
Mar.	2,	"	State pensions refund.....	24 00	
Mar.	2,	"	F. B. Morrell and estate on 1914 taxes.	721 88	
Mar.	3,	"	A. L. Tolman, total on account 1915 taxes..	5,033 08	
			Total amount received all sources.....		$9,490 87
Paid selectmen's orders 1915.....				$8,798 08	
"	"	"	1914.....	313 58	
"	"	"	1913..	20 00	
"	"	"	1910..	1 05	
" Savings Bank, Stevenson fund				100 00	
			Total paid out.....		9,232 71
			Cash on hand March 3, 1916.....		$258 16

Respectfully submitted,

HALL C. DEARBORN

Treasurer.

Report of Town Clerk

MARRIAGES, 1915-1916

Feb.	14	Alfred Hart, residence, Newburg. Florence A. Arnold, residence, Newburg.
March	15	Johnson G. Trask, residence, Newburg. Clara T. Rankin, residence, Newburg.
April	4	George B. Gatchell, residence, Newburg. Louise Eldridge Badger, residence, Newburg.
April	7	Clifton Herbert Chapman, residence, Newburg. Mrs. Ira Tolman, residence, Newburg.
Sept.	1	Burnis Merton Bridgham, residence, Newburg. Susie Mae Smith, residence, Dixmont.
Sept.	1	Manley Bartlett, residence, Newburg. Ella Nealey, residence, Winterport.
Oct.	6	Fred Reginald Billings, residence, Monroe. Agnes Morse Tolman, residence, Newburg.
Oct.	16	Thomas Richard Clements, residence, Newburg. Grace Estie Ryder, residence, Newburg.
Oct.	16	Frank Patten, residence, Hampden. Mrs. Fannie E. Nye Chase, residence, Newburg.
Oct.	17	Fred Elton Chapman, residence, Hermon. Frances Theo McLaughlin, residence, Newburg.

Total 10.

DEATHS, 1915-1916

				Yrs.	Mos.	Days
Feb.	2.	Benjamin F. Smith	Age	58	–	24
Feb.	13.	Ruth E. Sewall	"	74	2	1
Mar.	13.	Francis E. Porter	"	—	–	—
Mar.	30.	John E. McPherson	"	70	8	—
April	26.	Marcellus L. Tinney	"	72	8	23
April	28.	Frederick H. Newcomb	"	61	8	23
May	5.	William M. Bartlett	"	56	5	15
July	7.	Charles Green	"	81	6	29
Oct.	15.	Arad Ricker	"	63	–	22
Oct.	26.	Margaret A. Bickford	"	86	8	12
Oct.	30.	Ellen Luce	"	56	3	18
Nov.	6.	Jefferson Nealey	"	75	9	16
Nov.	9.	Susan M. Howes	"	77	9	4
Nov.	9.	Olive Newcomb	"	72	8	—
Dec.	17.	Emma Philbrick	"	63	3	28
Dec.	16.	Mary E. Lawrence	"	43	2	28
		Total 16.				

No. of births, 1915-1916, 14.

DOG TAX FOR YEAR 1915

31 dogs licensed at $1.15	$35 65	
1 female spayed at $1.15	1 15	
7 dogs licensed from 1913 at $1.15	8 05	
		$44 85
Town clerk's fees for 39 dogs at $.15		5 85
Amount paid H. C. Dearborn, treas.		$39 00

Respectfully submitted,

J. J. STAPLES, Town Clerk.

School Report

At the beginning of the year it was realized that many changes would have to be made in order to comply with the requirements of the State laws, some of which were passed at the last session of the legislature and after the annual meeting of the town last spring. It was also very plain to officials that there would not be enough money to do all of the things required and that the best that could be done would be to so expend that which was available as to bring our school system up to a standard acceptable to the State authorities, until an opportunity was afforded to complete the changes necessary, in order to draw aid from the State.

Fortunately, the State school year and the town year begin at different dates; the former beginning July 1, and the latter at the time of the annual town meeting. Thirty weeks of school must now be given in all schools during the State year from July to July, but this does not mean that we will have to have the thirty weeks in the town year although we have pretty nearly done this this year with a small overdraw. We were disappointed in not being able to get from the State the fund which is known as "The Equalization Fund" and which was given to the town last year. A change in the law by the last legislature made it impossible for us to obtain the fund over the distribution of which neither the town nor the State authorities now have control.

We have employed as good teachers as we have been able to obtain at the prices which we could pay. We have in all cases kept those teachers whose work was most satisfactory to both the officials and the parents concerned in their schools, and have given them deserved increases in their pay.

The matter of conveying pupils has given us the usual amount of inconvenience but you will note by the expense, $411.00, that we have made a saving of $16.00 over last year, although we have had nearly three more weeks of school and have had two additional cases.

We found the text-books entirely inadequate, in poor condition and not suited to the needs of a modern course of study such as we must now have under the State laws. In consequence of this condition we began to study our needs during the spring term and, during the summer vacation, we went as far as we were able in the direction of improvement. At the opening of the fall term we introduced the State course of study and placed some new text-books in the hands of the pupils. The results were most gratifying. We now have our schools well graded and by following a re-arranged course of study, introducing the necessary text-books and enough of them immediately, we will find ourselves much better off than we could have thought possible last spring.

As to repairs of the buildings, there is much to be accomplished out of the fund raised for this purpose, it has been the custom to pay the house cleaning bills, which is no small item if properly done, and many others of a like nature. These items alone take nearly $75.00 each year and explains why this account is always over expended. Some repair work has been done this year but much more ought to be done next year. It will also be necessary to improve the equipment in most of the houses. The seats are in very poor shape and the blackboards in all of the buildings except the Centre school are almost useless.

RECOMMENDATIONS

The following sums of money should be raised:

Common schools	$1,200 00
Repairs	150 00
Text-books	150 00
High school tuition	75 00
Union superintendent	
Cleaning houses, janitor work	

FINANCIAL STATEMENT

COMMON SCHOOLS

Unexpended from 1914	$ 5 77	
Raised by town	1,000 00	
Received from the State	1,056 94	
Total available		$2,062 71

Paid teachers' wages	$1,543 25	
teachers' board	54 00	
for fuel	81 00	
for conveyance	411 00	
Total paid out		2,089 25
Overdrawn		$ 26 54

HIGH SCHOOL TUITION

Unexpended from previous years	$ 41 16	
Received from the State	134 81	
Raised by the town	50 00	
Total available		$225 97
Paid Monroe tuition	$ 17 22	
Hampden Academy tuition	115 00	
Bangor tuition	10 00	
Total paid out		142 22
Unexpended		$83 75

TEXT-BOOKS

State equalization fund, maps	$ 25 00	
Unexpended from 1914	20 78	
Raised by town	60 00	
Total available		$105 78

Paid J. L. Hammett Co., maps	$ 24 80	
Newel White	50	
Geo. Getchell	4 16	
American Book Co.	3 16	
Atkinson, Mentzer & Co.	14 00	
Houghton, Mifflin Co.	31 97	
Oxford University Press	4 80	
J. L. Hammett Co., supplies	151 41	
Total paid out		98 80
Unexpended		$6 98

REPAIRS

Raised by town		$100 00
Paid E. A. Lawrence	$ 3 00	
H. Baker	5 50	
Mel Young	10 50	
E. A. Lawrence	23 27	
E. A. Lawrence	5 50	
O. H. Fall	2 00	
Roscoe Gould	5 50	
Sadie Porter	12 50	
Lillian Hamm	3 22	
Lillian Hamm	5 42	
Mrs. E. J. Hiltz	4 00	
J. R. Robinson	1 67	
Myra Severance	6 00	
P. E. Severance	15 32	
Bangor Brick Co.	7 80	
H. Baker	4 00	
M. J. Sewell	22 11	
Total paid out		137 31
Overdrawn		$ 37 31

STATISTICS

Number of pupils of school age in town April 1, 1915	164
Number attending school during the year	120
Average attendance	81

TEACHERS

Name	Terms	School	Avg. Wage
Laura Y. Bartlett	3	Gilmore	$8 41
Louvie B. Dillingham	2	Knowlton	7 50
Lenora M. Woodbury	1	Centre	8 00
M. Evelyn Fall	1	Miller	8 50
Amber L. Williams	2	Miller	7 72
Florence Fairbrother	3	Chapman	7 00
Mazie McLaughlin	1	Hill	7 50
Lena M. Smith	2	Arnold, Knowlton	7 25
Edith Lawrence	1	Hill	7 50
Ada York	1	Arnold	7 00
H. C. Dearborn	2	Centre	9 45
Ethel Graffam	1	Hill	8 00
Angie M. Arnold	1	Arnold	7 00

Average weekly wage for town 7 79

CONVEYANCE

C. H. Kimball	Gilmore	30	wks. at	$4 75	$142 50
F. Fairbrother	Gilmore	30	"	4 50	135 00
B. H. Norton	Centre	10	"	3 00	30 00
Roscoe Pickard	Centre	20	"	3 00	60 00
Walter Smith	Knowlton	30	"	1 00	30 00
W. McFarland	Centre	9	"	1 50	13 50

ATTENDANCE AND EXPENSE PER PUPIL PER WEEK

School	cost	wks.	reg.	att.	exp.
Centre	$372 50	30	29	23	$ 54
Miller	231 00	29	14	10.5	76
Chapman	210 00	30	10	8	87
Knowlton	240 00	28	12	9.5	90
Hill	222 00	29	10	8	96
Gilmore	529 75	30	20	16	1 10
Arnold	203 00	29	8	6	1 17

Average cost per pupil per week..... 89

In conclusion we wish to call your attention to the articles in the warrant, also to the folders relating to joining a union of towns for the employment of expert supervision. Under present conditions and at the price we pay, no man or woman who is qualified to do so can long afford to serve you in this capacity. He must make a personal sacrifice or neglect the work. If fully equipped there is a profitable place for him elsewhere either as a teacher or as a superintendent.

We will do well to co-operate with the school authorities of the town and State for progress. No other department means so much to the future of our citizenship. Every dollar well expended here returns its value and more but that which is wasted is worse than lost. The most efficient system is the least expensive, whatever the money cost.

Respectfully submitted,

O. H. FALL,
M. J. SEWELL,
E. A. LAWRENCE, } S. S. Committee.

H. C. DEARBORN, Superintendent.

Official

H. J. Spruce

First Selectmen - Town Agent.

ANNUAL REPORT

OF THE

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OF THE

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ANNUAL REPORT

OF THE

TOWN OF NEWBURG

1917

Newburg was Incorporated March 13, 1819

Population 1910, 694

Permanent Highway, 11 miles

B9036

Town Officers

Moderator

W. E. LUCE

Town Clerk

J. J. STAPLES

Selectmen, Assessors and Overseers of Poor

HENRY J. LUCE JOHN E. MILLER MARK S. LEAVITT

Town Agent

HENRY J. LUCE

Treasurer

H. C. DEARBORN

Tax Collector and Constable

A. L. TOLMAN

Auditor

W. E. LUCE

School Committee

MELVIN J. SEWELL	Term expires, 1917
EDWIN A. LAWRENCE	Term expires, 1918
OSCAR H. FALL	Term expires, 1917

Superintendents

H. C. DEARBORN
WILLIAM E. HEBARD

Warrant

State of Maine *Penobscot ss.*

To *A. L. Tolman*, a constable of the town of Newburg in said County, *Greeting:*

In the name of the State of Maine, you are hereby required to notify and warn the inhabitants of said town of Newburg, qualified by law to vote in town affairs, to assemble at the town house in said town of Newburg, on Monday, the twelfth day of March, 1917, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, to act on the following articles, to wit:

Art. 1. To choose a moderator to preside at said meeting.

Art. 2. To choose a clerk for the ensuing year.

Art. 3. To hear the report of town officers and act thereon.

Art. 4. To choose selectmen, assessors and overseers of the poor for the ensuing year.

Art. 5. To choose one member of the school committee for three years and one for two years.

Art. 6. To choose a town treasurer for the ensuing year.

Art. 7. To choose a collector of taxes and agree what per cent to pay him for collecting the same and fix date of settlement.

Art. 8. To choose a town auditor and fire warden and all other necessary town officers for the ensuing year.

Art. 9. To raise money for the support of common schools.

Art. 10. To raise money for the support of the poor.

Art. 11. To raise money for incidental expenses.

Art. 12. To raise money for roads and bridges.

Art. 13. To raise money for repairs on school houses.

Art. 14. To raise money for school books.

Art. 15. To raise money to pay tuition of pupils attending high schools.

Art. 16. To raise money for abatements.

Art. 17. To see if the town will vote "yes" or "no" on the question of appropriating and raising money necessary to entitle the town to State aid as provided in Section 20 of Chapter 130 of the Public Laws of 1913.

Art. 18. To see if the town will appropriate and raise the sum of $533.00 for the improvement of the section of State aid road as outlined in the report of the State Highway Commissions, in addition to the amounts regularly raised for the care of ways, highways and bridges; the above amount being the maximum amount which the town is allowed to raise under the provisions of Section 19 of Chapter 130 of the Public Laws of 1913.

Art. 19. To see if the town will vote to raise money and what sum for the maintenance of State aid highways during the ensuing year, within the limits of the town under the provisions of Section 9 of Chapter 130 of the Public Laws of 1913.

Art. 20. To determine the number of road commissioners the town shall have.

Art. 21. To see if the town will vote to authorize the selectmen to make a temporary loan in anticipation of taxes for 1917.

Art. 22. To see if the town will vote to accept from the estate of Melissa Emerson, the sum of one hundred dollars, the same to be

held in trust, the annual income therefrom to be expended for the care and improvement of the Samuel Emerson burial lot in the cemetery on the North road.

Art. 23. To see if the town will vote to discontinue the road leading from the Thurlough road to the North road.

Art. 24. To see if the town will vote to authorize its superintending school committee to join with Hampden, Carmel or other such town as it may deem expedient, for the purpose of employing a superintendent of schools in accordance with the provisions of Sections 40 to 45, inclusive, of Chapter 15 of the Revised Statutes.

Art. 25. To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate for the salary of superintendent of schools for the ensuing year.

Art. 26. To see if the town will vote to build a new hearse house or repair the old one and raise a sum of money for the same.

Art. 27. To raise money to pay snow bills for the winter of 1916-17.

Art. 28. To see if the town will vote to accept a sum of money from the estate of Granville Newcomb for the perpetual care of the Granville Newcomb lot in Chapman Cemetery.

The selectmen will be in session at the Town House for the purpose of revising the list of voters in said town, at nine o'clock in the forenoon on the day of said meeting.

Hereof fail not to make due return of said warrant with your doings thereon, on or before the day and hour of said meeting.

Given under our hands at Newburg, Me., this 3rd day of March, 1917.

HENRY J. LUCE,
JOHN E. MILLER,
MARK S. LEAVITT,
} Selectmen of Newburg.

Report of Assessors

INVENTORY OF ALL ESTATES

Real estate, resident	$177,225 00	
Real estate, non-resident	10,020 00	
Personal estate, resident	70,795 00	
Personal estate, non-resident	700 00	
		$258,740 00

LIVE STOCK

	No.	Total value	
Horses	280	$22,530 00	
Colts, 3 to 4 years old	10	490 00	
Colts, 2 to 3 years old	11	435 00	
Colts under 2 years old	23	825 00	
Cows	646	20,470 00	
Oxen	21	1,000 00	
Three year old	35	945 00	
			$46,695 00
Two year old, not taxed	149		
One year old, not taxed	192		
Sheep, not taxed	528		
Swine, not taxed	98		

OTHER PERSONAL PROPERTY

Bonds, Stock	$1,200 00	
Bank stocks, 91 shares	8,200 00	
Money at interest	3,000 00	
Stock in trade	5,900 00	
Automobiles, 24	3,650 00	
Musical instruments, 26	2,350 00	
Machinery	500 00	
		24,800 00
		$71,495 00

Number of polls taxed, 187.
Number of polls not taxed, 24.
Tax rate, .023½.

Tax on $258,740 at .023½	$6,080 39	
Tax on 187 polls at $3.00	561 00	
		$6,641 39
Supplementary		23 20
Total commitment to collector		$6,664 59

APPROPRIATIONS

State tax	$1,413 88	
County tax	367 13	
Support of common schools	1,300 00	
Support of poor	100 00	
Incidental expenses	400 00	
Repairs on school houses	150 00	
Roads and bridges	1,550 00	
Text-books	150 00	
Tuition	75 00	
State aid highways	533 00	
Maintenance of State aid highways	200 00	
Salary of supt. of schools	80 00	
Abatements	50 00	
Overlay and supplementary tax	295 58	
		$6,664 59

Report of Selectmen

Cash on hand, Mar. 3, 1916	$258 16	
State damage to sheep	18 00	
Walker Trust fund	75 00	
Bank cash loan, July 10, 1916	200 00	
State pensions refunded	195 00	
State high school tuition	160 00	
Aug. 23		
J. J. Staples, clerk on 1916 dog tax	20 00	
J. J. Staples, clerk, dog tax	12 00	
A. L. Tolman, dog tax, 1916	46 00	
State dog tax refund	36 22	
State common schools	489 40	
State mill tax	563 26	
State R. R. and telegraph tax	225 35	
Highway department, maintenance account	107 66	
Highway department, State aid roads	519 52	
A. L. Tolman, balance 1915 taxes	1,110 06	
A. L. Tolman, 1916 taxes	5,131 33	
		$9,166 96

PAID OUT DURING YEAR BY ORDERS

State highway department, patrol	$ 305 04
Highways and bridges	2,064 90
State aid highways	1,067 30
State aid highways, maintenance	227 38
State tax	1,413 88
County tax	367 13
State pensions	240 00

Interest	103 27	
Dog licenses	65 00	
Incidentals	684 43	
Abatements	24 19	
High school tuition	250 00	
Merchant's Bank, note	250 00	
Teachers' salaries	1,848 40	
Transportation	480 25	
Fuel	116 75	
School house repairs	98 18	
Text-books	147 58	
District superintendent	80 00	
Paupers	28 00	
Total		$9,861 68
Total amount of orders drawn	$9,861 68	
Outstanding orders 1916-17	1,224 89	
Amt. of 1916-17 orders cashed by treas.		$8,636 79
Amt. of 1915 orders cashed by treas.	$274 15	
Amt. of 1914 orders cashed by treas.	1 50	
Amt. of 1913 orders cashed by treas.	42 40	
		318 05
Total amount of orders cashed by treas.		$8,954 84

SCHOOL REPORT

Amount raised by vote of town	$1,300 00	
State school, mill fund	563 26	
State common schools	489 40	
Unexpended balance, 1916	42 46	
		$2,395 12
Florence M. Fairbrother		69 00
		$2,326 12

$83.35

Paid teachers	$1,779 40	
Transportation	480 00	
O. H. Fall, fuel	52 50	
M. J. Sewell, fuel, Middle and South roads	64 25	
		2,376 15
Overdrawn		$50 03

FREE HIGH SCHOOL TUITION

Unexpended balance	$ 83 75	
Rec'd from State	160 00	
Raised by town	75 00	
		$318 75
Tuition, city of Bangor	$ 40 00	
Tuition, Hampden Academy	210 00	
		250 00
Unexpended		$68 75

TEXT-BOOKS

Unexpended from 1915	$ 6 98	
Raised by town	150 00	
		$156 98
Ginn & Co.	$27 32	
E. E. Babb & Co.	80 29	
J. L. Hammett & Co.	21 24	
Houghton, Mifflin Co.	1 78	
Loring, Short & Harmon	60	
A. N. Palmer Co.	7 91	
William E. Hebard	4 44	
M. B. Severance	4 00	
		147 58
Unexpended		$9 40

SCHOOL HOUSE REPAIRS

Raised by town		$150 00
E. A. Lawrence	$28 71	
P. E. Severance	26 33	
H. C. Dearborn	7 70	
Almeda Fisher	3 00	
Sadie Porter	9 00	
Lottie Ryder	8 00	
Mrs. E. J. Hiltz	4 00	
B. A. Witham	3 00	
Percy Porter	2 00	
C. A. Staples	4 79	
M. J. Sewell	1 65	
		98 18
Unexpended		$51 82

HIGHWAY ACCOUNT

Amount raised for roads and bridges	$1,550 00	
Amount raised for State aid highways	533 00	
Maintenance State aid highways	200 00	
Amount received from State, State aid highways	519 52	
Amount received from State for maintenance	107 66	
		$2,910 18
State highway commission, patrol	$ 305 04	
Highways and bridges	2,064 90	
State aid highways	1,067 30	
State aid highways, maintenance	227 38	
		3,664 52
Overdrawn		$754 34

PAUPER ACCOUNT

Amount raised by town	$100 00
Town of Detroit on account of Mrs. George Lowell	28 00
Unexpended	$72 00

INCIDENTAL ACCOUNT

Amount raised by town	$400 00	
Overlay and supplementary tax	295 58	
Rec'd from State, R. R. and telegraph tax	225 35	
State, damage to sheep	18 00	
J. J. Staples, clerk, 1916 dog tax	20 00	
J. J. Staples, clerk, 1912-13 dog tax	12 00	
A. L. Tolman, 1916 dog tax	46 00	
State dog tax refunded	36 22	
		$1,053 15

Expended

William Ryder, services as janitor	$ 2 00
J. J. Staples, services as town clerk 1915-16	20 00
W. E. Luce, services as moderator 1916	2 00
W. E. Luce, services as auditor 1916	2 00
D. A. Chapman, blacksmith work	6 00
Mayo & Snare, legal services, 4 years	23 00
H. J. Luce, salary, selectman, 1915-16	60 00
A. P. Gray, watering place	1 50
John E. Miller, salary 1915-16	50 00
State treas., dog licenses	65 00
G. Estabrooke & Sons, flags	2 40
Fred Howes, watering place, 3 years	4 50
P. E. Severance, incidentals	8 20
H. C. Dearborn, salary supt. 1915-16	60 00
H. C. Dearborn, salary treasurer	25 00
H. C. Dearborn, telephone and postage as supt. and treas.	11 00

H. C. Dearborn, supt. 1916	$30 00	
Charles Mudgett, watering place, 2 years	3 00	
M. S. Leavitt, salary, selectman, 1915-16	50 00	
M. S. Leavitt, care Smith lot and Knowlton cemetery	8 00	
Maurice Parsons, services as ballot clerk	8 00	
A. J. Luce, watering place	1 50	
M. C. R. Downes, care cemetery, Hussey Stevenson and Walker lots	14 50	
George Cookson, repair cemetery fence	2 00	
M. D. Jones Co., 6 soldiers' markers	3 00	
The T. W. Burr Ptg. Co., town reports	37 70	
J. F. Davis, watering place	1 50	
Fred A. Rogers, ballot clerk	8 00	
C. L. & R. G. Barrows, wire	3 20	
E. C. Newcomb, M. D., birth and death returns	16 75	
A. L. Tolman, posting notices	6 00	
A. L. Tolman, collecting dog taxes 2 years	10 00	
A. L. Tolman, collecting taxes 1915	122 86	
M. J. Sewall, driving hearse	27 00	
H. J. Luce, postage and miscellaneous supplies	6 30	
F. O. Rogers, care cemetery	5 00	
E. F. Dillingham, town supplies, 2 years	22 52	
J. J. Staples, salary town clerk, 1916-17	20 00	
Merchant's Nat'l Bank, interest	103 27	
		852 70
Unexpended		$200 45

ABATEMENTS 1915

Amount raised		$50 00

Abated

C. L. & R. G. Barrows, no property in town	$1 65	
Adam Seaney, dead	3 30	
C. A. Staples, past seventy	3 00	
Ariad Ricker, dead	3 00	
John Marcho, poor	7 24	
Fred Benson, in Dixmont	3 00	
+ Guy Dillingham, not in town	3 00	
		24 19
Balance		$25 81

SUPERINTENDENT'S ACCOUNT

Amount raised		$80 00
Paid W. E. Hebard, to date		80 00
Due for remainder of year	$40 00	

Estimate of the amount of money required under the following articles:

Article 9.	Support of common schools	$1,300 00	— 1500
Article 10.	Support of poor	150 00	1 00
Article 11.	Incidentals	400 00	5 00
Article 12.	Roads and bridges	1,500 00	1500
Article 13.	Repairs on schoolhouses	150 100 00	
Article 14.	School books	100 00	
Article 15.	To pay tuition of pupils attending high schools	100 00	
Article 16.	Abatements	50 00	50
Article 18.	State aid highways	533 00	533
Article 19.	Maintenance State aid highways	250 00	
Article 25.	Salary of supt.	100 00	125
+ Article 27.	Snow bills	600 00	

TRUST FUNDS FOR CARE OF CEMETERY LOTS

J. F. Hussey	$100 00
John Stevenson	100 00
Jefferson Smith	50 00
Frank E. Walker	75 00

STATE AID HIGHWAYS

Amount appropriated by town	$533 00	
Rec'd from State	533 00	
		$1,066 00
Elmer Smith, inspector		13 48
Amount available		$1,052 52

PERMANENT HIGHWAY, SOUTH ROAD

Herbert Lewis	$11 00
Hannibal Baker	12 00
Ira Ryder	31 87
John Ryder	18 75
H. J. Luce	46 86
F. W. Luce	8 25
Mark Chase	12 75
Warren Stevenson	3 00
Scott E. Nealley	13 13
William Goodrich	15 00
Merrill Goodrich	15 00
William Goodrich, Sr.	10 50
Elmer Grant	3 75
M. C. McFarland	7 50
Percy Severance	1 50
M. B. Severance	70 12
B. G. Snow	11 25
J. F. Davis	13 13
Eugene Goodell	1 50

F. Hamm	$1 50	
Ira Ryder	5 62	
A. J. Luce	5 62	
H. W. Luce	3 75	
H. M. Leonard	6 75	
Raymond Sidelinker	4 00	
		$334 10
A. J. Luce, gravel		18 00
P. E. Severance, cement		8 40
P. E. Severance, dynamite		6 00
Metal culvert		28 60
		$395 10

1,700 feet at a cost of 23 cents a foot.

PERMANENT HIGHWAY, NORTH ROAD

J. E. Miller	$18 00
M. S. Porter	29 06
Orman Porter	7 50
Walter Rogers	26 25
P. J. Boyington	38 25
F. O. Rogers	27 75
Chas. Boyington	26 81
Percy Porter	8 25
Claude Rogers	7 50
N. T. Porter	7 50
A. Knowlton	7 50
Geo. Curtis	18 75
Irving Parsons	7 50
Lewis Loring	18 75
U. G. Bickford	11 25
W. R. Knight	15 00
Guy Kimball	15 00

Chas. Pinkham	$6 00	
Frank Shaw	5 06	
Geo. Rines	4 80	
Oscar Fall	5 02	
		$311 50
Walter Rogers, gravel		28 00
P. E. Severance, dynamite		7 50
		$347 00

1,150 feet at a cost of 30 cents a foot.

PERMANENT HIGHWAY, MIDDLE ROAD

Elmer Grant	$ 9 38
A. W. Knowlton	1 00
Frank Brown	6 75
Millard Smith	2 25
Joseph Anthony	11 25
S. W. Stevenson	4 50
Fred B. Leavitt	26 63
Maurice Foster	9 00
L. F. Porter	6 00
G. W. Smith	12 00
Fred Cilley	8 25
Arthur Smith	9 00
Orman Porter	3 75
F. C. Grant	7 50
Roscoe Gould	1 50
William Ryder	11 25
Elmer Bridgham	4 50
N. T. Porter	9 00
Geo. Whitcomb	39 45
M. S. Leavitt	36 45
H. R. Whitcomb	30 75
Geo. Cookson, work on railing	11 00
P. E. Severance, dynamite	8 50
Stearns Lumber Co.	25 04

M. S. Leavitt, gravel	$15 00	
M. S. Leavitt, lumber	3 00	
William Hollis, gravel	12 50	
		$325 20

1,260 feet at a cost of 26 cents a foot.

4,110 feet of State aid highway cost	$1,067 30
Overdrawn	$14 78

Average cost per foot, 26 cents.

MAINTENANCE STATE AID HIGHWAYS

Amount appropriated by town	$200 00	
Rec'd from State	107 66	
		$307 66

Expended

NORTH ROAD

P. J. Boyington	$7 87	
Chas. Boyington	7 87	
Lewis Loring	3 75	
Milton Porter	3 75	
Walter Rogers	3 75	
Geo. Knight	3 75	
Percy Porter	1 50	
Irving Parsons	1 50	
J. E. Miller	3 00	
S. M. Packard, gravel	6 00	
		$42 74

SOUTH ROAD

E. A. Lawrence	$4 50
Ira Ryder	5 25
Axel Jolander, gravel	6 50

Axel Jolander	$ 5 25	
Walter Bicknell	3 75	
B. G. Snow	1 87	
Geo. Gordon	3 75	
J. F. Davis	20 62	
M. B. Severance	8 00	
Merrill and William Goodrich	4 50	
H. Baker	2 00	
H. J. Luce	9 00	
		$74 99

MIDDLE ROAD

H. R. Bartlett, plank	$10 50	
L. J. Ward	17 00	
E. D. Mills	3 00	
Elmer Grant	7 00	
Chas. Bartlett	3 00	
H. R. Whitcomb	3 00	
Geo. Whitcomb	10 00	
M. S. Leavitt	6 00	
Joseph Anthony	7 00	
G. L. Tribou	3 50	
Amos Inman	1 25	
H. C. Dillingham	10 00	
Fred Cilley	3 00	
C. F. Roberts	5 25	
Maurice Foster	5 25	
Chas. Fisher	3 00	
Percy Porter	2 40	
F. C. Grant	3 00	
C. H. Whitcomb	3 00	
Ralph Newcomb	3 50	
		109 65
Total		$227 38
Unexpended		$80 28

ROADS AND BRIDGES

Amount raised by town	$1,550 00	
Amount deducted by State for patrol maintenance	305 04	
Available		$1,244 96

Expended

SOUTH ROAD

1915 work	H. L. Fairbrother	$ 3 00
	H. L. Fairbrother	10 35
1915 work	L. D. Croxford	4 95
1915-16	C. A. Newcomb, (lumber)	17 62
1915 work	D. A. Chapman	6 75
	William Fox	1 60
	Russell Colson	5 40
	A. P. Gray, (gravel)	4 30
	A. P. Gray	5 97
	H. M. Leonard	33 65
	John Watson, (plank)	19 26
	Fred Benson	8 40
	E. A. Lawrence	4 20
1915 work	H. W. Nealey	19 57
1915	H. W. Nealey, (gravel)	8 50
	Joseph Baker, (lumber)	5 90
	Joseph Baker	7 37
	George Chapman	4 00
1915-16	Sterns Lumber Co., (plank)	57 52
	Hannibal Baker	6 75
	Elmer Grant	41 04
	Leander Croxford	2 25
	S. W. Stevenson	8 77
	Monteith McFarland	10 43
	Wm. Estey	3 75
	A. J. Luce (gravel)	7 00
	A. J. Luce, (plank)	3 00

~~1915-16~~	A. J. Luce	25 50	3 50
	A. L. Smith	28 42	
	Scott E. Nealey	24 00	
	George Cookson	4 95	
	F. M. Johnston	6 00	
	C. L. Chapman	3 75	
	C. L. Chapman, (gravel)	5 00	
	M. B. Severance	36 00	
	P. E. Severance, nails and dynamite	9 78	
	Sidney Dunton	10 50	
	H. C. Dearborn	3 00	
	W. A. McFarland	3 90	
	F. E. Littlefield, (plank)	25 14	
	F. E. Littlefield	4 00	
	T. E. Dodge	6 30	
	Walter Thompson	3 60	
	Axel E. Jolander	13 26	
	J. F. Davis	15 00	
	Merrill and William Goodrich	21 50	
	B. G. Snow	25 65	
	George Hopkins	2 85	
	Ansel Benson	2 50	
	R. H. Fairbrother	4 80	
	F. A. West	12 00	
	John Watson	57 00	
	John Watson, (gravel)	3 15	63 loads
	H. J. Luce	27 25	
	Ira Ryder	53 50	
1915	Herbert Lewis	3 00	
	Herbert Lewis	8 00	
	H. R. Bartlett	8 57	
	H. W. Nealey	6 00	
	H. W. Nealey, (gravel)	6 40	
	Marion Bartlett	5 70	
	J. W. Chapman, (gravel)	3 00	
	A. L. Tolman	2 10	
	J. G. Trask, (1914)	1 00	
			$793 37

Gravel 3 35 (330)
Budget 150

150.00
643.37

NORTH ROAD

1915	Emery Curtis	$ 1 11
1915	Charles Eldridge	3 75
	Charles Eldridge	17 87
	P. J. Boyington	55 99
	W. O. Davis	1 11
	Addison Cookson	15 00
	B. W. Witham	21 60
	Charles Boyington	38 36
1915	Charles Boyington	4 00
	Charles Toothaker	23 97
1915	N. T. Porter	6 00
	L. J. Ward	71 12
	A. W. Whitcomb, (hay)	2 00
	B. H. Norton	17 00
	John E. Miller	53 85
	Milton Porter	14 58
	Guy Kimball	3 37
	Guy Kimball, (plank)	2 00
	Walter Rogers	23 25
	Walter Rogers, (gravel)	6 00
	Lewis Loring	21 00
	Emery Curtis	30 12
	Montford Prescott	1 50
	Ed. Getchell	14 25
	Lloyd Simpson	12 60
	W. R. Knight	6 12
	Leslie Miller	1 50
	Walter Knight	12 85
	S. M. Packard, (gravel)	20 28
	George Kenniston	1 50
	Fred Toothaker	12 45
	George Rines	7 00
	Vivien Howes	5 62
	W. T. Smith	10 95
	Percy Porter	2 47
	Warren Page	2 25
	F. O. Rogers	34 49

	F. A. Marcho	$ 5 00
	Thomas Fifield	31 64
	Irving Parsons	15 68
	Wilbur Hamlin	3 00
	Millard Arnold	6 36
	W. O. Davis	6 75
	Fred Howes	20 62
	Roland Parsons	13 87
		$681 80

MIDDLE ROAD

1915	H. R. Whitcomb	$16 35
	S. W. Simpson	4 18
	Roland Parsons	7 50
	R. E. Pickard	6 55
	B. H. Norton	24 75
	L. J. Ward, (plank)	3 20
	L. J. Ward	71 42
	S. W. Stevenson	3 82
	G. H. Gatchell	3 82
	H. C. Dillingham	15 75
	W. P. Ryder	11 65
	L. H. Staples	6 75
	H. J. Avery	5 85
	Charles Eldridge	22 52
	Archie Babcock	3 75
	Edgar Babcock	2 25
	E. D. Mills	8 85
	A. W. Whitcomb	16 65
	Lawrence E. McFarland	2 70
	Manley Bartlett	1 50
	Orman Porter	3 00
	G. W. Smith	9 15
	Walter Mitchell	7 35
	Charles Boyington	16 00
	Charles Bartlett	1 50
	Millard Smith	11 18
	W. A. McFarland	9 69

George Whitcomb	$22 08	
Charles Mudgett, (gravel)	2 50	
M. S. Leavitt	44 59	
Arthur Smith	16 96	
A. W. Knowlton	9 30	
Mrs. Andrew Knight, (gravel)	2 70	
Lloyd Simpson	4 01	
Joseph Anthony	2 25	
M. B. Severance	8 00	
F. C. Grant	4 80	
W. H. Hollis	4 50	
L. F. Porter	8 70	
H. B. Stevenson	53	
H. R. Whitcomb	16 18	
Frank Brown	10 50	
C. F. Roberts	4 50	
T. R. Clements	8 33	
Maurice Parsons	4 00	
Ara Simpson	11 83	
Ralph Newcomb	5 15	
George L. Tribou	15 00	
F. A. Tribou	8 15	
Wilbur Hamlin	6 45	
C. W. Lake	3 50	
Maurice Foster	1 20	
M. J. Sewall	40 68	
A. C. Reed	3 53	
W. N. Henderson	6 00	
Fred Cilley	4 50	
		$577 10

ASSETS

Cash in treasury	$ 212 12	
Due from collector, 1916 taxes	1,533 26	
State dog licenses refund, (about)	40 00	
State, State pensions	45 00	
Trust funds, interest	8 50	
State, tuition	12 67	
		$1,851 55

LIABILITIES

Outstanding orders, 1917	$1,224 89	
Merchants Bank, loan	1,450 00	
Walker Trust fund	75 00	
Salaries: Henry J. Luce	60 00	
J. E. Miller	50 00	
M. S. Leavitt	50 00	
H. C. Dearborn, treasurer	25 00	
A. L. Tolman, collector, 1916	166 61	
Estimate, outstanding bills	75 00	
		3,175 50
Liabilities in excess of resources		$1,323 95

Respectfully submitted

HENRY J. LUCE,
JOHN E. MILLER,
MARK S. LEAVITT,
Selectmen of Newburg.

January 1, 1917.

TOWN OF NEWBURG

Statement of the Expenditure for Patrol Maintenance in the year 1916.

Estimated number of miles under patrol maintenance		10
Joint fund		$505 04
Expended as follows:		
Patrolman's wages	$369 12	
Cost of extra help	95 16	
Cost of material	40 76	
The following work was done:		
Cutting bushes	$ 62	
Dragging	47 67	
Raking rocks	78 33	
Cleaning ditches and culverts	31 88	
Repairing end walls and culverts	19 39	
Repairing guard rails	1 60	
Surfacing: gravel	325 55	
Total expenditure		505 04
Unexpended balance		$0 00
Cost of inspection	$19 37	

PHILIP J. DEERING,
WILLIAM M. AYER,
FRANK A. PEABODY,
State Highway Commission.

Report of Treasurer

To the Selectmen of Newburg:—

I herewith submit my report as Treasurer of Newburg for the year ending Feb. 24, 1917.

RECEIPTS

Cash on hand Mar. 3, 1916		$ 258 16	
Mar. 28	State damage to domestic animals	18 00	
Apr. 1	Selectmen, burial lot fund	75 00	
July 10	Bank, cash loan	200 00	
Aug. 23	J. J. Staples, clerk, 1916 dog tax	20 00	
Oct. 3	State, pensions refund	60 00	
Dec. 23	" pensions refund	63 00	
23	" dog tax refund	36 22	
23	" school and mill fund	563 26	
23	" common school fund	489 40	
23	" R. R. and telegraph tax	225 35	
Jan. 9	" highway department	519 52	
11	" highway department	107 66	
26	" high schools	160 00	
26	" pensions refund	72 00	
Feb. 24	A. L. Tolman, coll., on 1916 dog tax	46 00	
24	J. J. Staples, acct. dog tax	12 00	
24	A. L. Tolman, coll., 1915 taxes	1,110 06	
24	A. L. Tolman, coll., 1916 taxes	5,131 33	
	Total received		$9,166 96

Paid out 1916 orders of selectmen.....	$8,636 79	
Paid out outstanding orders.....	318 05	
Total paid out.....		8,954 84
Cash on hand, Feb. 24, 1917.....		$212 12

Respectfully submitted,

HALL C. DEARBORN,
Treasurer.

Newburg, Me., Feb'y 24th 1917.

I have carefully examined all the accounts of Board of Selectmen, Overseers of the Poor, Assessors and Treasurer, and find them true and correct.

WALTER E. LUCE,
Town Auditor.

Report of Town Clerk

TOWN OF NEWBURG

MARRIAGES FOR YEAR, 1916-1917

June 30 Monteith Carl McFarland, Newburg.
Elva Beatrice Clark, Frankfort

DEATHS, 1916-1917

			Yrs.	Mos.	Days
Feb. 2	Roger A. Toothaker	Age	0	0	10
Feb. 12	Baby Miller	"	0	0	0
April 17	Baby Porter	"	0	0	0
April 28	Lydia E. Lufkin	"	86	11	25
May 20	Nancy P. Smith	"	79	5	2
May 15	Julia A. Lake	"	81	8	2
July 7	Gertrude E. Parsons	"	1	0	0
Aug. 6	Hilda Leonard	"	9	3	27
Sept. 18	Elias Mills	"	69	4	8
Oct. 16	Baby Jolander	"	0	0	0
Oct. 27	Fred O. Clements	"	21	10	29
Dec. 21	Melissa Emerson	"	75	6	7
Dec. 22	Baby Fisher	"	0	0	1
1917					
Feb. 2	Emma Inman	"	76		

Births for 1916-1917, 13.

Superintendent of Schools' Report

To the Superintending School Committee and Citizens of Newburg:

I have the honor of presenting to you my first annual report as Superintendent of your Schools. I shall present to you the conditions as I have observed them in the numerous visits which I have made to the schools during the two terms that I have been in the field.

SCHOOLHOUSES

When I first went about the town I was impressed with the fact of how conveniently located the schools were to most of the pupils. A closer observation of each schoolhouse has revealed conditions which can be bettered. There is not a single building in the town with the modern single seat, or desk. The two schools on the "North" road have benches, and the others have the double seats. The tops of many of the desks at the Gilmore school are very rough. The Center school is equipped with nice smooth blackboards and they are well located so the pupils and teacher can use them to advantage. The other schools are not as fortunate in this respect. At both the Arnold and Hill schools the underpining is in bad repair and the longer this work is postponed the greater will be the cost. At the present time it will cost about $20. to repair each building. If the work is delayed until the walls fall in the expense will be greater. Much could be said about the ventilation. Most people connected with schools are convinced that the so-called cross lights which are produced by having windows on several sides of class rooms are injurious to the eyes. For this reason I believe that the windows should be provided with curtains or shades so that the light can come to the scholar only from the back of the room, or from the left side.

TEACHERS

I believe that the teachers in Newburg have been doing creditable work, and that the scholars have made satisfactory progress. I believe too, that it is an advantage for the pupils in a school for the teacher to remain in that school for several terms provided of course that she is competent for the particular school. In three of the schools there has been the same teacher both terms that I have been here. In these days when so many towns provide for janitors in their schools it is becoming a serious problem to hire a teacher and require her to do this work without pay for it. The better teachers will go to those towns where the teaching positions are attractive. It is not attractive to a teacher to walk half a mile through the snow, then shovel paths, (If there are any), and build a fire. I believe that Newburg should take this forward step. Many will observe that the salaries paid the teacher have advanced over what were paid last year. A further observation would prove that the price of board has been raised and the teachers' net income is the same.

ATTENDANCE

I was very much pleased with the attendance during the Fall term. By reason of severe weather, sickness and other reasons, during the Winter term the attendance has been lower. Co-operation between parent and teacher will prove helpful in preserving better attendance.

CONVEYANCE

By reason of combining the Miller and Hill schools it has been necessary to have another conveyance, which however costs less than maintaining both schools with the extra fuel expense. There has been some misunderstanding in this matter and I quote from the School Laws of 1915 as follows:—(The underscoring is my own). "The superintendent of schools in each town shall procure the conveyance of all common school pupils residing in his town, a part or the whole of the distance, to and from the nearest suitable schoolhouse,

for the number of weeks for which schools are maintained in each year, when such pupils reside at such a distance from the school as in the judgment of the superintending school committee shall render such conveyance necessary. Nothing is said about the coneyance being covered, that is left to the local committee.

FLAGS

There are some schoolhouses in town where there are flags but no means of flying them by reason of no ropes, broken pulleys, and absence of pole. In these days of bloodshed across the water how can a teacher impress her pupils with the dignity and honor of the flag, as well as its past history where there are no means for its display. Sec. 52 of the School Law says that the superintendent shall see that the flag is displayed and that the town shall annually raise a sufficient amount to make this possible. Furthermore this sum must be separate from all other school money. I would suggest an appropriation of $15 for this purpose.

GENERAL REMARKS

From a careful consideration of the respective accounts I would recommend the following appropriations for the different school accounts:—

Common schools	$1,350 00
High school tuition	60 00
Text-books	100 00
Repairs	150 00
Flags	15 00
Superintendence	125 00
Janitor, cleaning, etc.	

In conclusion, I wish to thank all those who by word and deed have assisted me in my work and express my appreciation for the cordial support of the committee as well as the helpful suggestions of your former superintendent, H. C. Dearborn.

Respectfully submitted,

WILLIAM E. HEBARD, Supt.

FINANCIAL STATEMENT

COMMON SCHOOLS

Receipts

Raised by town	$1,300 00	
Received from State	1,052 66	
Overdrawn (1916-17)	142 78	
		$2,495 44

Expenditures

Overdrawn (1915-16)	$ 26 54	
Paid teachers' wages	1,779 40	
for fuel	116 75	
for conveyance	572 75	
		$2,495 44

HIGH SCHOOL TUITION

Receipts

Unexpended (1915-16)	$ 83 75	
Received from State	160 00	
Raised by town	75 00	
		$318 75

Expenditures

Paid Hampden Academy	$210 00	
City of Bangor	40 00	
Balance unexpended	68 75	
		$318 75

TEXT-BOOKS

Receipts

Unexpended (1915-16)	$ 6 98	
Raised by town	150 00	
		$156 98

Expenditures

Paid Ginn & Co.	$27 32	
E. E. Babb & Co.	80 29	
J. L. Hammett & Co.	21 24	
Houghton, Mifflin Co.	1 78	
Loring, Short & Harmon	60	
A. N. Palmer Co.	7 91	
William E. Hebard	4 44	
Balance unexpended	13 40	
		$156 98

REPAIRS ACCOUNT

Receipts

Raised by town	$150 00

Expenditures

Overdrawn (1915-16)	$37 31	
Paid Almeda Fisher	3 00	
Sadie Porter	9 00	
L. Ryder	8 00	
E. A. Lawrence	23 31	
M. B. Severance (1915-16)	4 00	
H. C. Dearborn	7 70	
C. A. Staples & Son	4 79	
Mrs. E. J. Hiltz	4 00	
Mrs. Lafayette Porter	4 00	
P. E. Severance	26 33	
M. J. Sewell	1 60	
Balance unexpended	17 06	
		$150 00

STATISTICS

TEACHERS

Name	Terms	School	Wages Paid
Pauline Britton	1	Gilmore	$110 00
Edna I. Stevens	2	Gilmore	180 00
Allene Chase	3	Chapman	265 00
Susie Leavitt	1	Knowlton	96 00
Beatrice Mishou	1	Knowlton	85 00
Kathleen Phillips	1	Knowlton	87 50
H. C. Dearborn	1	Center	115 50
Mildred Strout	1	Center	110 00
F. W. Cox	2-5	Center	44 00
Laura Y. Bartlett	3-5	Center	57 00
Ada York	2	Arnold	162 50
Charlotte Averill	1	Arnold	85 00
Ethel Graffam	1	Hill	88 00
M. Evelyn Fall	2	Hill	200 00
Amber Williams	1	Miller	88 00

CONVEYANCE

C. H. Kimball	Gilmore	31 wks. at	$4 75	$147 25
L. A. Smith	Gilmore	31 "	4 50	139 50
Roscoe Pickard	Center	11 "	3 00	33 00
Edgar Babcock	Center	20 "	5 00	100 00
Leslie Miller	Hill	20 "	3 00	60 00
W. P. Smith	Knowlton	31 "	3 00	93 00

In conclusion we would call your attention to the report of the superintendent and the suggestions for appropriations in the various school accounts. Let us co-operate with the teachers, superintendent, and State authorities for progress and better schooling equipment for the coming voters of Newburg.

Respectfully submitted,

O. H. FALL,
M. J. SEWELL,
E. A. LAWRENCE,
} S. S. Committee.

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